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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

It will
Pay you
To get the habit—
Shop by our advertisements.
THE HOME OF COLD BEER.
PLAZA BAR.

ALL MAKES RADIO REPAIRED.
W. H. CASE.

EATS AND DRINKS. PLAZA
BAR AND CAFE.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S
CONFECTIONERY. tf.

Budweiser and Pearl Beer, bottled
and draught. PLAZA BAR.

All kinds of fountain drinks at
ROTHE'S CONFECTIONERY. tf.

SEE THE NEW VOSS GASOLINE
ENGINE WASHER. W. H. CASE.

Hondo Lumber Co. sells the
Kelvinator electric refrigerator. tf.

NICE FIGS FOR SALE; 25c PER
GALLON. C. U. BARRIENTES. tf.

Flowers for all occasions. Order
from ROTHE'S CONFECTIONERY.

My home is for sale. Also 2 fresh
Jersey cows. C. F. HAASS, Hondo,
Texas. 4tpd.

Jack Droicourt, Jr., was out from
San Antonio last week-end, visiting
friends.

New deal. Pennsylvania and Dayton
tires. They satisfy. C. R. GAINES'. 2t.

Judge L. J. Brucks returned Satur-
day from a business trip to Sher-
man, Texas.

Before buying refrigerators inspect
the NORGE at C. R. GAINES'.
Enough said. 2t.

One thousand dollar stock of am-
munition just received. Rock bottom
prices at C. R. GAINES'. 2t.

FOR GOOD FRESH GROCERIES,
REASONABLY PRICED, CALL ON
OR PHONE 42. C. J. BLESS.

Marshall Ney, border patrolman
from Corpus Christi, visited relatives
here and in D'Hanis last week-end.

George Isaac Wilson of Refugio
was here last week-end, visiting his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson.

Reinhart Weber of Utopia spent a
short while in Hondo Monday while
enroute home from a business trip to
Houston.

Buy a cake from Catholic Girls, on
Saturday, August 10, beginning at
3 P. M. at the Jungman Bldg. Prices
reasonable. 2tc.

Cake Sale, Saturday, August 10,
beginning at 3 P. M. at the Jungman
Bldg. Prices reasonable. Sponsored
by Catholic Girls. 2tc.

Mr. and Mrs. August Prohl and
Miss Charlotte Miller of San Antonio
were the week-end guests of Mr. and
Mrs. O. H. Miller.

Miss Marion Brauer of Del Rio,
who is spending the summer in San
Antonio, was the guest of Miss Lucy
Davis last week-end.

Misses Evelyn and Margaret Ann
Knopp have returned from Camp
Kiva on Medina Lake, where they en-
joyed a month's outing.

WHEN IN TOWN CALL
AROUND AND BUY GOOD GRO-
CERIES AT A REASONABLE
PRICE. C. J. BLESS.

Miss LaVerne Ulbrich of Hondo
and Miss Grace Wehmeyer of San
Marcos are visiting their cousin, Miss
Patricia Moor, in Crystal City.

Mrs. Otis Schuehle and brother,
John Russell Crouch, of Corpus
Christi spent several days with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crouch.

Marvin and Rudolph Haass were
business callers at this office Mon-
day evening and announced a dance
for Dunlay tomorrow night. See card
elsewhere.

Mrs. Jack Ulbrich and little daugh-
ters, Shirley June and Bonnie Sue,
are visiting Mrs. Zillah Ulbrich and
Mr. Charles E. Buss and family of
San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heyen have
moved to the Dominic Riff farm near
New Fountain. Their home in Hondo
will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Gillispie.

Miss Josephine Brucks, who has
been employed in a private school in
Fort Worth, arrived home last week
for a visit with her parents, Judge
and Mrs. L. J. Brucks.

O. P. Ross was down from the Tar-
pley country Tuesday on business. We
were sorry to learn from Mr. Ross
that he is suffering from a persistent
attack of rheumatism.

J. M. Fusselman, who had the mis-
fortune to severely sprain his right
knee some weeks ago, is still pain-
fully crippled but able to get about
with the help of a stick.

Miss Irene Haass, who for the past
several months has been employed by
an abstract firm in Beeville, arrived
home Monday for an extended visit
with her parents, Judge and Mrs. H.
E. Haass.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN,
ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU?
OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?

For Every Form of Insurance
See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas.
Since 1907.

DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

District Court convened here for
the regular summer term, Monday,
August 5, 1935.

The following officers of the court
were present:

Hon. Ballard Coldwell, Acting
Judge.

Hon. K. K. Woodley, District At-
torney.

Emil Britsch, District Clerk.

Chas. J. Schuchle, Sheriff.

Mrs. Mabel Knex, Official Court
Stenographer.

The following grand jurors were
sworn in for the term: W. O. Rothe,
Earl Starnes, Eddie Haoy, Aug.
Schott, Jr., Adolph H. Ahr, Rudolph
Haby, George T. Briscoe, Arthur N.
Langston, Fabian Garrison, Jim
Heath, Willie Faselar, and Roy C.
Blackburn.

W. O. Rothe was appointed fore-
man and Fred Jagge, Hy. Crutch-
field and Logue Littleton, bailiffs.

The grand jury completed its la-
bors Wednesday afternoon after hav-
ing returned 8 indictments as fol-
lows:

State vs. Carlos Flores, George
Pompa and Leo Castillo, theft of
over \$50.00.

State vs. same parties, burglary.

State vs. Walter Johnson, burglary.

State vs. James Zavalla and Ed
Zavalla, theft of turkeys.

State vs. Otto King, theft of cat-
tle.

State vs. Kollock Harrison, theft
of cattle.

State vs. W. R. Campbell, theft of
cattle.

State vs. S. Martinez, S. S. Rider
and O. D. Sedwick, burglary.

All above parties are either in jail
or under appearance bond.

Before the Grand Jury was dis-
missed, the following written report
was presented the court:

Hondo, Texas,
August 7th, 1935.

Hon. Ballard Coldwell,
Presiding Judge,

District Court, Medina County, Tex.

The Grand Jury for the August
Term of the District Court of Medina
County, Texas, having finished their
labors, present this, their final re-
port, and ask to be discharged:

We have investigated all felony
matters brought to our attention, and
herewith present indictments found
by us and voted for by at least nine
of our number.

We have examined the Medina
County Jail, and find same to be
maintained in a clean and sanitary
manner.

We respectfully recommend to the
Commissioners' Court of Medina
County that more suitable quarters
be provided for the grand jury and
petit jury at future terms of this
court. We believe that such quarters
might be provided on the third floor
of the courthouse, by division of the
County Judge's quarters with ceiling
and floor.

Respectfully submitted,
W. O. ROTHE, Foreman.

The criminal docket was set for
Monday, August 12th, at 10 o'clock
A. M.

There being no petit jury sum-
moned for the first week, it was agreed
and ordered that thirty persons be
summoned to appear Thursday the
8th of August to serve as jurors in
the case of R. W. Richter and wife
vs. Carl Biebers et al. This case was
being heard before a jury yesterday
evening as we went to press.

John T. Briscoe, Jr., vs. Alexander
Boynton, et al. Dismissed.

E. A. Hallon vs. James Kapp and
Ella Kapp. Continued.

C. G. Harris vs. San Antonio Sub-
urban Irrigated Farms, et al. Re-
straining order on temporary injunc-
tion continued until January term
of court.

Mabel Winters Forester vs. T. Z.
Forester. Dismissed at cost of plain-
tiff.

Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties
Water Improvement District No. 1
vs. Alex Hitzfelder. Dismissed on
agreement of parties.

Vera Brantley vs. Roy L. Brantley.
Suit for divorce. Divorce granted
and custody of children awarded to
plaintiff.

After the court had spent the
greater part of Wednesday consider-
ing the case of L. W. Burrell, et al.,
vs. H. E. Haass, et al, the Castroville
School Bond Election contest case,
the same was recessed until tomor-
row morning.

DIED IN SAN ANTONIO.

Anna B. Huehner of San Antonio
died in the Santa Rosa Hospital Wed-
nesday morning, July 31, 1935, after
a lingering illness. Funeral services
were held under the auspices of the
Catholic Church in San Antonio Fri-
day morning.

Deceased is survived by her moth-
er, Mrs. Fannie Huehner, of San An-
tonio; four sisters, Mrs. John W. Pro-
casky, San Antonio; Mrs. Catherine
Dansin, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Hel-
en Gahan, Long Beach, Cal.; and
Mrs. H. C. Rothe, Del Rio.

Miss Huehner grew to young
womanhood in Castroville but for
several years has lived in San An-
tonio. This paper joins in sympathy
for those who mourn.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By Edson R. Waite,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

ERWIN HUBER, ADVERTISING DIRECTOR OF THE BALTIMORE
NEWS-POST AND PRESIDENT OF THE ADVERTISING CLUB,
SAYS:

"A wise man once wrote a library on the value of newspaper advertis-
ing and then condensed it all into the following paragraph:

"The entire able-to-buy audience of every other advertising
medium is made up of newspaper readers. Why, then, employ
another and costlier medium to reach an audience which
consists only of newspaper readers? The one medium reaches
ALL."

"Unfortunately for the man that spends the money, advertising men
like to play around with various mediums before they have done a com-
plete job in the newspapers.

"When every 'able-to-buy' person in any community is a newspaper
reader it is difficult to understand why other mediums obtain any part
of an advertising appropriation until the reader audience of every
newspaper in a given market has been reached, or rather, sold.

"Every business man in America BELIEVES that 'it pays to advertise'.
Instead he SHOULD KNOW that it pays to advertise only when the
advertising is well done and the medium intelligently selected.

"Selecting the proper medium is a simple matter when the advertiser
understands that 'THE ENTIRE ABLE-TO-BUY AUDIENCE OF
EVERY OTHER ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS MADE UP OF NEWS-
PAPER READERS.'"

The Anvil Herald is Your Proper Medium.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE HONDO FACULTY.

There will be several additions to
the faculty of Hondo High School
this fall. Wedding bells, leave of ab-
sence, etc., have created a number of
vacancies.

Miss Frances Harris will be the
new second grade teacher and Direc-
tor of Public School Music. Miss
Harris' home is in Fort Worth. She
attended C. I. A.

Miss Eddie Connor, a graduate of
Peabody Teachers' College, will teach
the fourth grade.

Miss Olivia Shaw of San Marcos
Teachers' College will teach in the
upper grades.

Mr. W. T. (Bill) Dubose of Gon-
zales will teach History in high school
and coach football. Mr. Dubose is a
graduate in physical education from
Texas University. He lettered
three years in football at Texas and
last year was assistant Freshman
football coach. (Yes, girls, he is
single.)

There will be a number of changes
in the high school curriculum for the
coming year. Vocational agriculture,
home economics, and junior business
training will be added. Freshman
and sophomore history will be com-
bined into a one year course. There
will be no freshman history offered
this year. Sophomore history will be
offered to those who now have credit
for freshman history. Spanish will
be reduced to two years and will be
for the upper grades of high school.
School will open September 9th.

Other new teachers will be an-
nounced as soon as they are definite-
ly known.

FACULTY MEMBERS WED.

Friends here have received the fol-
lowing interesting announcement:
"Mr. and Mrs. Emil L. Adamcik an-
nounce the marriage of their daugh-
ter, Della Mary, to Mr. Marion Leon
McDowell, on Sunday, August fourth,
one thousand nine hundred and thirty-
five, Smithville, Texas. At Home,
after September first, Hondo, Tex-
as."

The simple wedding took place at
the home of the bride's parents in
Smithville at 10 o'clock Sunday
morning with Miss Zeda Hatch and
Mr. Jerome Adamcik as attendants.
The bride's pastor, Rev. Father
Kieffer, performed the ceremony.
Miss Adamcik was lovely in a white
suit with white hat and white acces-
sories. She wore a corsage of white
roses.

In addition to the immediate mem-
bers of the family, the following out-
of-town guests were present: Mr. and
Mrs. L. H. Von Dohlen, Goliad; Mr.
and Mrs. J. G. Barry, Hondo; Mr.
Herman Finger, Hondo; and Miss
Perry Chamberlain, Bastrop.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McDowell for
the past several years have been
members of the faculty of Hondo
High School, Mr. McDowell being the
instructor of mathematics and Mrs.
McDowell the second grade teacher.

After a bridal trip to Dallas and
other Texas cities, Mr. and Mrs. Mc-
Dowell will arrive in Hondo about
August 20th and will reside in an
apartment in the Crouch residence.

Prof. McDowell will resume his
teaching in the local high school.

Their many Hondo friends extend
best wishes for a bright and happy
future.

BROOM CORN SHIPMENTS.

Broom corn shipments took quite a
spurt during the past week, ten more
cars going out since our first report,
making 14 cars in all. Two buyers
are on the ground.

Of the 14 cars, seven went to
Maryland, three to Kansas, two to
Illinois, one to Virginia, and one to
New York. We are not informed as
to the price being paid.

Other shipments for the week were
one car of cattle to Los Angeles, Cal-
ifornia; three cars of maize and one
hegira.

TURNING THE PAGES BACK- WARD.

In searching through the records
preserved in his office recently Coun-
ty Clerk S. A. Jungman discovered a
file of the assessment blanks of Me-
dina County for the year 1865. While
these seventy-year-old blanks show
the effects of much handling, they
are in a good state of preservation
and the printing and writing for the
most part are legible as the day it was
written. They made paper of dur-
able quality in that day.

Val Volimer was the Assessor and
Collector at that time, the two of-
fices then as now being combined in-
to one. The blanks are signed by
him in a fine delicate penmanship,
with letters formed after the manner
of the old German teaching, as are
many of the other signatures to the
affidavits. Many of these names are
quite familiar today, some of the
men, like Mr. Volimer, Val. Haass,
Joe Decker and others, we knew per-
sonally many years later, but some
have disappeared entirely from Me-
dina County affairs. Others are so
familiar that one has to compare
dates and count years to determine
whether it is the man he knows or a
father or grandfather of the same
name.

Lands were cheap then, being as-
sessed for a little better than a dollar
an acre. Town lots in Castroville
ranged from \$50.00 up, depending
presumably upon improvements.

Range cattle were assessed at \$5.00
per head and herds were small. This
was an open range country without
wire fences then. Horses were as-
sessed at from \$20.00 to \$25.00 and
work-oxen at around \$15.00 and
\$20.00 each. Nearly every farmer
had from one pair, or yoke, to sev-
eral head.

The largest land-holder and tax-
payer seems to have been G. W. Har-
per. In addition to several thousand
acres of land he assessed 1400 head
of cattle valued at \$7,700.00. He
lumped in 200 goats and 35 sheep
for \$294.00 for the bunch. One
wagon—it must have been a good
one—went in for \$125.00, while the
family carriage, the special pride of
Southern gentlemen of that day, went
in for \$100.00. His work-oxen must
have been good ones as he valued
them at \$20.00 each, 20 head being
assessed at \$400.00.

A unique item in Mr. Harper's as-
sessment is 22 negroes, valued at
\$11,000.00 or \$500.00 each. This
property boosted his valuations up
to \$23,943.00. Ownership was sworn
to on March 29, 1865, just ten days
before Lee's surrender at Appomattox
on April 9th and many months
after Lincoln's emancipation procla-
mation. Mr. Harper at the same time,
as agent for A. L. Harper, assessed
seven negroes at \$4,900.00.

Wm. Redus assessed for himself
one negro at \$900.00 and 500 head of
cattle. As agent for John and George
Redus he assessed seven negroes at
\$2800.00 and 1700 head of cattle at
\$8,500.00. This was probably the
largest single herd of cattle in the
county at that time. His assessment
was made on March 8th.

Other assessments of negroes
noted were 3 for \$2000.00 March 10,
by J. J. Simpson; one by the same
party on the same date as agent for
L. L. Harper, \$900.00; 2 on March
24th, \$1000.00 by W. A. Burrows;
one by S. P. Heath on March 22nd,
for \$600.00; on February 18th one
negro was assessed by L. Boehle for
\$500.00; on February 8th, William
Winans as agent for E. C. Winans as-
sessed 3 for \$1500.00; and last of
all, on May 6th, nearly a month af-
ter Lee's surrender at Appomattox,
several days after Joseph E. John-
son's surrender in North Carolina on
April 26th and near the time of E.
Kirby Smith's surrender of the
Trans-Mississippi Department of the
Southern Confederacy, Joseph Ney,
father of our Ex-Sheriff of the same
name, assessed four negroes for
\$1600.00. Evidently Mr. Ney and
these other slave holders had not
acceded to the validity of Lin-
coln's edict that the constitutional in-
hibition against taking property with-
out due process of law and fair com-
pensation did not apply to negroes.
But force prevailed and this assess-
ment of May 6, 1865, is no doubt the
last rendition for taxes of slave prop-
erty ever made in Medina County if
not in Texas or the entire South.

Many other interesting items could
be culled from this ancient document,
but our space is up.

D'HANIS PIRATES PLAY DOUBLE-
HEADER HERE SUNDAY.

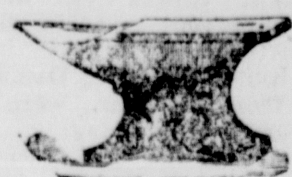
The league leading D'Hanis Pirates
invade Hondo Sunday in the last
meeting of the two teams this season;
which will also be the last home game
of the Bronchos in the Highway 90
League.

The Bronchos are out to deal the
Pirates misery in their last home
stand, and both games promise to be
thrillers.

Saddler and Tom Koch, former
Pirate hurler will do the chunking for
the Bronchos. Nester will start for the
visitors.

F. F. A. TO MEET.

The local Chapter of the Future
Farmers of America will meet at 8
P. M., Friday, August 9, at the Hondo
High School. All members and others
interested in vocational agriculture
are urged to attend.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the

MANAGING EDITOR.

THE LOGICAL SEQUENCE.

A thoughtful writer, anent the free
text book amendment to be voted on
in Texas on August 24th, asks this
pertinent question:

"If text books, so needful to edu-
cation, may be supplied to the child-
ren who attend private and sectarian
schools from state appropriations in
derogation of the spirit and letter of
the State Constitution, is it not logi-
cal to proceed, step by step, to the
supplying of bus transportation,
gymnasium equipments, school teach-
ers, etc., for these children, out of
lump sum appropriations for free
education of all the children of any
of the particular states?"

The answer is an emphatic yes; in
fact, it will not stop there but con-
tinue, one step after another, until
our system of education is completely
revolutionized and socialized.

Instead of seeking to correct one
erroneous step by taking another step
into error, we should retrace our
steps.

This proposed free text book
amendment should be defeated and
the inequalities some would correct
by the amendment should be cured
by repealing as soon as possible the
whole free text-book law.

SHOULD WE WEAKEN THE CONSTITUTION.

Suggestions to change the Consti-
tution, in order to give the Federal
Government powers the Supreme
Court has decided it does not now
possess, should be critically weighed
by the American people.

Whether we realize it or not, it is
the Constitution which protects the
ownership and the sanctity of the
home. It is the Constitution which
safeguards the independence and
rights of the worker. It is the Consti-
tution which maintains the sanctity
of contract. And, finally, it is the
Constitution which guarantees and
supports the rights, the liberties and
the privileges for which the fore-
fathers of the nation fought when
they changed America from a foreign-
dominated colony to a free nation
dedicated to the proposition that all
men are created equal.

Those who would change the Con-
stitution would do so on the supposi-
tion that it is out of date—that it is
no longer capable of meeting the
problems, the conditions, the issues
of the times. If that is true, human
liberty is out of date. Individual
freedom is out of date. Democratic
government—which has as its guid-
ing principle that the people are the
masters, not the servants of govern-
ment—is out of date. Private initia-
tive and individual ambition are out
of date.

Every time we tamper with the
Constitution we weaken it. Under the
existing Constitution, a delicate bal-
ance of power is maintained between
the central government and the 48
state governments. The Federal Gov-
ernment is enabled to do that which
individual states could not efficiently
do—while the states are left free to
make laws, rulings, regulations and
policies that are in accord with the
beliefs and needs of their people.

If we broaden the powers of the
Federal Government we shall simply
be giving bureaucracy a greater free
and unchecked field for action—at
the expense of the states, of industry,
of workers, of every citizen.—Indus-
trial News Review.

BACKBONE OF TRANSPORTA-
TION.

In spite of all claims to the con-
trary, the railroads remain the back-
bone of the nation's transportation
system.

Other carriers may supplement the
rails and perform a valuable service.
But it is a limited service.

Trucks can handle but a fraction
of the nation's freight, and almost
none of its heavy, transcontinental
freight—wheat, machinery, etc.

Buses can provide inexpensive and
excellent short-haul passenger ser-
vice—but the vast bulk of travelers
still go by rail when embarking on a
lengthy journey.

There are definite limits to the
airplane—its high cost, its relatively
sparse coverage of the nation, its
inability to handle freight.

The waterways are limited by
geography and by seasons. In addi-
tion, they have proven to be constant
money losers, and can only be kept
in operation by vast governmental
subsidies.

The railroads touch every portion
of the country. They provide service
to remote areas, tiny hamlets, little
known farming and mining districts.
They run on regular schedules. They
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LACOSTE LEDGERETTES.

The LaCoste Ledger.

Edwin Conrad from near Devine LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

W. W. Etter from the Sauz was a visitor here Monday.

Max Mechler from the Sauz was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Lena Geiger and brother, were San Antonio visitors Saturday afternoon.

W. Keller and sons, Daniel and Harold, from the Sauz, were business visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stein and Elsie Koenig were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart from Noonan were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Messrs. James Biediger and Walter Geiger made a business trip to Victoria Monday morning.

Joseph L. Tondre from Castroville was a business visitor here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scharsch from Castroville were LaCoste visitors last Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Bippert and brother, Paul, from our north side were visitors here last Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Parker and children from Delta were visitors here last Friday.

Ralph Tschirhart from Castroville was a business visitor here Wednesday.

John Tragesser and grandson from Castroville were visitors here Wednesday evening.

Chas. Loessberg and son, Arno, from Delta were business visitors Monday.

W. W. Etter from Eagle Pass is spending his vacation with his brother and sisters here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Mangold from Newman were visitors here Wednesday.

Arthur Biediger of San Antonio visited homefolks here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf of San Antonio spent Sunday with relatives here.

Adolph Ihnken from Pearson was a LaCoste business visitor Wednesday.

Dr. M. S. Derankou from Hondo was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. C. F. Krause and daughter, Mrs. E. H. Parsons, from Atascosa were visitors here Wednesday.

The Editor is in receipt of a card from Mr. and Mrs. Ed. J. Bende and Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Schott and family from Devine, who are spending the present week vacationing at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mangold and family from Medina Lake were visitors here and at Natalia Wednesday.

Mrs. Paul Plathouse and daughter, Mrs. Caroline, from above Riomedina were the guests of friends at Macdonna Wednesday.

Messdames F. J. Zerr and Ed. J. Trip and daughter, Miss Julia, from Macdonna were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.

Miss Martha Ahr returned home after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. J. I. Powell, and friends in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Nickell and son, Bobby, Jr., of Spofford spent a few happy days with homefolks here the past week.

After spending the past week with homefolks here, Miss Cornelia Biediger and Johnnie Rihn returned to their home in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rihn and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hacker and baby were the guests of Henry Biediger here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schmidt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Willeman on the North Loop in San Antonio Monday and of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt Monday evening, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Jungman, who had been ill for several weeks, was taken to the Santa Rosa Infirmary last Friday night for treatment. At this writing she had been on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merian and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Ahr from South San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hitzfelder and family and August Merian at Devine Sunday.

Miss Ellen Hawkes of Flatonia was a pleasant visitor with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes, and Mrs. A. H. Ahr here the past week. From here she went to Ramsey and Eagle Lake to visit relatives there.

John L. Zuercher and his force of

How Modern Women Lose Pounds of Fat Swiftly---Safely

Gain Physical Vigor—Youthfulness with Clear Skin and Vivacious Eyes That Sparkle with Glorious Health

Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.

Every morning take one half tea-spoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—in 4 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

Notice also that you have gained energy—your skin is clearer—your eyes sparkle with glorious health—you feel younger in body—keener in mind. Kruschen will give any fat person a joyous surprise.

Get a bottle of Kruschen Salts—the cost is trifling—it lasts 4 weeks. But be sure for your health's sake that you ask for and get Kruschen Salts. Get them at W. H. WINSTON'S or any drugstore in the world.

carpenters are tearing down the LaCoste Gin Co. building here this week for Mr. H. W. Keller of the Sauz, who recently purchased it. Mr. Keller will use the lumber for erecting barns at his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Zapata, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gunn and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Weber and daughter of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ahr from here spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Kunze and family here.

Herman Hitzfelder, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hitzfelder, was struck by lightning while stacking hay Monday of this week. The stroke knocked him unconscious for a while, but he is all right again now, only that all his limbs feel tired or sore.

LIQUOR AND MAN.

I had 12 bottles of whiskey in my cellar and the missus made me empty the contents of each and every bottle down the sink, so after several hours of vain argument and domestic strife, I proceeded to do as she desired. I withdrew the cork from the first bottle and poured the contents down the sink with the exception of one glass, which I drank. I then withdrew the cork from the second bottle and the same likewise, with the exception of one glass which I drank. I extracted the cork from the third sink and poured the bottle down the glass when I drank some. I pulled the bottle from the cork of the next and drank one sink of it and then pulled the sink out of the next cork and poured the cork down the drink, all but the sink, which I drank. I pulled the next cork from my neck and poured the sink down the bottle and drank the cork.

When I had them all emptied I steadied the house with one hand and counted the bottles which were 24. As the house came around I also counted them again and had 74. Finally I had the houses and the bottles counted, so I proceeded to wash the bottles, but I couldn't get the brush in the bottles, so I turned them inside out and washed them and wiped them all and went upstairs to tell my wife all about what I did. And I've got the wisest little nicie in the world.—Alpine Avalanche.

And that's what's liable to happen every time any one refuses to let well enough alone.

ADIEU.

You left me with a gallant smile. I saw the trembling lips: I heard your stifled sob that night As I touched your finger tips.

I could not let you know I cared Because we had to part: And so I only kissed your cheek To hide a broken heart.

All day I held my head quite high And wore a clown's gay mask: You could not know how my heart cried As I fulfilled each task.

But when you left and all was still: The robin's mournful song Brought tears to throbbing eyes, to think You'd be away so long . . .

—AUDREY ETHEL CHENEY.

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DEVINE NEWSLET.

From The Devine News.

MRS. MARY KEMPF.

Mrs. Mary Kempf, 53 years, 5 months and 25 days, died at her home in north Devine, Sunday afternoon, after a long and weary illness, in which she spent time in the hospital and everything possible was done for her relief to no avail. She was the widow of Edward Kempf, who died in June, 1913; since which she has lived in widowhood, rearing their only son, Edward Kempf, Jr., who is her only immediate survivor. She has some distant relatives near Hondo, but leaves no brothers or sisters, our report says. She was a devoted Catholic and the funeral services were conducted early Monday from St. Joseph church, Rev. L. Schiel, her pastor in charge, conducting requiem high mass service; after which a large concourse of friends followed the remains to St. Joseph cemetery, where her remains were interred beside those of the late husband.

FROM YANCEY.

A new coat of paint is being applied on the Adventist church building, which is changing its appearance very much. Mr. Chastaine of San Antonio is doing the work, being assisted by Mr. Zender.

Mrs. G. W. Jones of San Antonio was here Sunday and delivered a sermon at the eleven o'clock hour to a good sized audience. She spoke in behalf of the question that is confronting the voters on August 24th.

Misses Florine Weekley and Ellen Wilson returned from Uvalde last Saturday, after spending a pleasant week at Camp Fawcett.

Mr. J. G. Weekley, Glen Faseler and Coy Berry left Monday morning for Pearsall and will be gone for the greater part of the week.

Miss Doris Mcfield is visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Robert and Reuben Faseler of Poetee are visiting their kindred and friends here.

Mrs. Clara Neal of El Paso is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Nixon.

Miss Evelyn Wiemers of Pearsall is spending her vacation with homefolks.

Messdames McCaughan, Wilson and Muennink returned from Smiley last week Wednesday.

Mr. Dan McCrea returned from a prospecting trip Sunday. He is looking through the country about the next pecan crop. Mr. McCrea has put the pecan shelling plant in good shape, which means employment to a good many people.

We had a good rain last week, doing lots of good to fields, although a large per cent of the broom corn remains unharvested. The shellers are running daily.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCrea went to San Antonio on business Monday.

Rev. Banks, J. G. Weekley and George Heiligman made a trip to San Antonio Saturday.

Rev. Johnson of San Antonio came out Sunday evening and preached a sermon for the Adventist congregation.

A Mexican child died on the Eschenberg farm last Friday and was interred late that evening in the local cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Boggins of Uvalde were visitors at the home of Mr. Willie Faseler.

FROM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and baby of San Antonio spent Sunday with Jack Biry and Sam and Fred.

Miss Emma Senne of Brackettville

spent two days with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Senne.

Ralph Bader of Karnes City and Clyde Bader of Castroville spent Thursday with Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bader.

Mr. and Mrs. Henson spent Monday in San Antonio.

Miss Alma Bader spent the week with her sister, Lucille, at Brackettville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biry and children of D'Hanis spent the week-end with relatives.

Ed. Bader and son, Alvin, and A. O. Biediger spent Thursday in Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Biry spent one day with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biry.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tilley, a daughter, their first. Mother and daughter reported doing nicely.

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"Club woman? Not she. She favors a flatiron."

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COUNTERPART.

One looks not long on field or hill Without a yearning in the heart For someone else to share the still And quiet beauty they impart.

Another's presence always clings To everything that we admire, Another's being always sings Within the hearts it may aspire.

Affection soothes this whole world through With song of loveliness and mirth And tenderness is born anew In all four corners of the earth.

—WALTER S. KEITH in June KALEIDOGRAPH.

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"The foolish man sees happiness at a distance; but the wise man grows it under his feet."

A traveler invariably notices an attractive country home. Flowers and shrubs add so much to the beauty of a country home that it will almost say "Welcome".

Many types of home beautification cost little and are very effective. These winter months are the proper time for setting out shrubs and trees. Many native shrubs and vines furnish local color and are easily and inexpensively secured. Wild flowers of various types are easily cultivated.

Houses underpinned with native stone are undeniably lovely. The yard fence should be straight so the gate will swing properly. A large open lawn with a few specimen plants is a beautiful thing. The house should be framed protectively by tall trees of an even height just behind it. Short, thick trees at the side of a house draw attention to the lawn. Informal grouping of trees is always preferable. Tall slender shrubs between windows and around under the windows are pleasing. Vines give a cool shady air to a home on a hot, sultry summer day. An arbor is an asset to the beauty of any home. Paved walks should be avoided, stepping stones more attractive.

Above all plan the landscape so that there is unity. A home with a beautiful landscape is a thing of joy forever. It is really surprising how much a sprinkling of phlox or petunias will improve a farm home.

Someone said that everything began with the farm. How nice it would be if we could give everything a beautiful beginning.

WELL TRAINED.

The wain had stopped on the line and the guard was tired of answering stupid questions.

"What's the matter, guard?" came yet another query.

"The signalman up there has got red hair," replied the guard, "and we can't get the engine to pass the box."

—Tatler.

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NAME O'HOWLS

M. T. SCHAACK (Empty Shack) lives at Bee Grove, Ind.

M. T. HERRING sells fish at his market in Lakeland, Fla.

Kenneth SENIOR is a senior at a Pennsylvania college.

Stanley BUTCHER operates a barber shop at Ashley, Pa.

MAY JUNE APRILL lives in Snohomish, Wash.

Two families named LOVETT and Kissett are neighbors near Kimball, S. Dak.

J. B. NIGHTINGALE sells Singer sewing machines at Cleveland, Ohio.

The FRY brothers operate a restaurant at Carlock, Ill.

Elsie CCONS used to be housekeeper for Thomas BEARE at Arlington, Ill., but now Mrs. COOK is his cook.

L. STOUTHAMMER is a mechanic in a garage in Kepin, Ill.

Guy NEWHOUSE of Lolo, Mont., is a carpenter and builder.

I-STEAMER is in the dry cleaning and pressing business at Deposit, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. CRYER, of Washington, D. C., have been married for 50 years but neither of them are shedding tears over it.

The cashier of a little bank in Texas is D. D. PREACHER, the bookkeeper's name is ANGEL and on the board of directors is a LORD.

Add marriages: MILKS THOMPSON at Hawthorne, Nev.; CRANE-BIRD at Hopkins, Mo.; COFFEE-POTTS at Peebles, Ohio.

—THE PATHFINDER.

AN OLD STORY.

Strange that I did not know him then,
That friend of mine!

I did not even show him then
One friendly sign;

But cursed him for the ways he had
To make me see

My envy of the praise he had
For praising me.

I would have rid the earth of him
Once, in my pride!

I never knew the worth of him
Until he died.

—Edwin Robinson.

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POEMS THAT LIVE.

FRIENDSHIP.

By Phoebe Cary.

No soul can ever truly see
Another's highest, noblest part
Save through the sweet philosophy
And loving wisdom of the heart.

I see the feet that fain would climb;
You, but the steps that turn astray.
I see the soul, unharmed, sublime;
You, but the garment and the clay.

"Man is his own star; and the soul
that can
Render an honest and a perfect man,
Commands all light, all influence,
all fate;
Nothing to him falls early or too late.
Our acts our angels are, or good or ill,
Our fatal shadows that walk by us
still."

—EPILOGUE.

THAT WHICH IS TO COME.

By Lowell.

We see but half the causes of our
deeds,
Seeking them wholly in the outer life,
And heedless of the encircling spirit
world,
Which, though unseen, is felt, and
sows in us
All germs of pure and world-wide
purpose.

CHARTERLESS

I never saw a moor,
I never saw the sea;
Yet now I know how the heather
looks,
And what a wave must be.

I never spoke with God,
Nor visited in Heaven;
Yet certain am I of the spot
As if the chart were given.

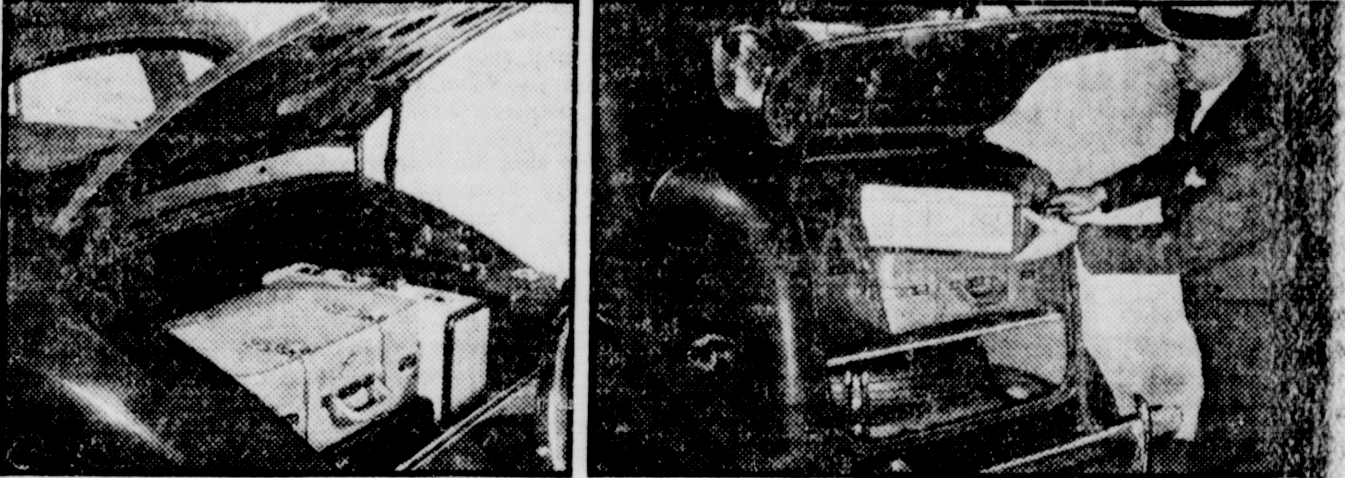
—Emily Dickinson.

FROM BYRON.

In men whom men condemn as ill
I find so much of goodness still,
In men whom men pronounce divine
I find so much of sin and blot,
I do not dare to draw a line
Between the two, where God has
not.

—Joaquin Miller.

Properly Stowed Bags Add to Comfort



Comfort, pleasure, and safety on a tour depend largely on efficient loading of the luggage, and modern body designs have done much to ease the problem, as these views of Chevrolet models reveal. In the upper left view, the suitcases have been fitted snugly, the adjustable front seat having been moved forward to allow extra leeway, and the driver is now pushing back the seat to clamp the bags in place for the day. Upper right, the tourist is utilizing the baggage space back of the rear seat. The two lower pictures show the loading of a coupe compartment and a sedan trunk.

PREPAREDNESS.

For all your days prepare,
And meet them ever alike:
When you are the anvil, bear—
When you are the hammer, strike.
—Edwin Markham.

A JUST VERDICT.

"My lord," said the foreman of an
Irish jury seriously, as he gave the
verdict, "we find that the man who
stole the mare is not guilty."

NEIGHBORLY TACT.

"Mrs. Brown," cried Mr. Smith to
his neighbor, "have you spoken to
your boy about mimicking me?"

"Yes, I have," replied Mrs. Brown.
"I've told him not to act like a fool."
Montreal Star.

"Do you own the house you live
in?"

"I used to."
"What do you mean—'used to'?"
Did you sell it?"
"No, I got married."

BOYER-YOUNG IN "SHANGHAI"

Fresh from his triumphs in "Private Worlds" and "Break of Heart," Charles Boyer launches his new tour for starring fame in Paramount's "Shanghai," which comes Monday and Tuesday to the Colonial Theatre.

With the colorful and mysterious capital of the Orient for its background, the picture tells the story of two who dared hatred and prejudice for love and won. Loretta Young starred with Boyer. Prominent featured in the supporting cast are "Shanghai" are Warner Oland, Charles Keating, Alison Skipworth, Charles Grapewin.



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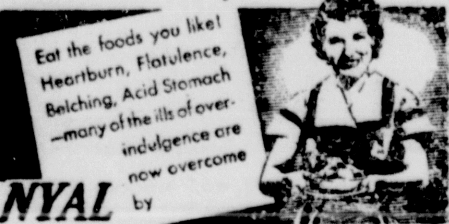
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COTTON PRODUCTION INCOME.

Cotton income in Medina County was more than double in 1934 what it was in 1932, and almost equal to that of 1935, a very favorable year, it is announced by C. M. Merritt, county agent, on the basis of complete official three-year county cotton figures just received from the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Medina County farmers received for their cotton last year \$82,295.32 compared to \$32,124.09 in 1932 and \$101,333.93 in 1933. The farm value of lint and seed last year was almost \$40,000 more than it was in 1932, and added to this were \$10,832.09 in benefit payments.

Values are based upon yields and prices as furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture. The benefit payments include all those to April 30, 1935.

The value of unsold Bankhead certificates held by farmers is not included in the amount of benefit payments. Texas farmers have about nine million dollars' worth of these certificates on hand, according to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Commenting on this huge increase in Medina County farmers' cotton income from 1932 to the present, Mr. Merritt points out that there was more than sixty thousand dollars of cotton money in circulation in the county the last twelve months than two years ago. This increased farm income has been the means of helping farmers stay in business, maintain their farms and homes, and remain customers of merchants he says.

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Miss Geraldine Schuchle is recovering from a tonsillectomy on August 7 at the Medina Hospital.

DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST, OF FICE AT RESIDENCE (1 block E. of courthouse). PHONE 39.

The young people enjoyed a dance at the Fair Grounds hall last Saturday night. The dance was given under the auspices of the Booster Club.

Mr. Arthur Reinhart of Del Rio arrived Monday night and was accompanied home Tuesday morning by Mrs. Reinhart, who for the past week or more has been recuperating from a recent operation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Richard Reilly.



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Homer Rothc has purchased the interest of his partner, Jimmy Smith, and is now sole proprietor of the business formerly known as the H. & H. Confectionery. He is continuing it under the name of Rothc's Confectionery.

W. J. Earnest, who has been in Austin for some time, spent last week-end at home, returning to Austin Sunday evening. Mr. Earnest says the high waters of June in the capitol city made lots of work for carpenters and builders repairing the damage done by the flood.

Louis Carle, Jr., and Miss Doris Nester, both of D'Hanis, had they been present at the Colonial Theatre Tuesday night, would have won the two \$100 bank accounts. Their absence increased the account to two \$100 accounts and one \$20 to be awarded next Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baccus have changed the name of their hostelry from the Armstrong to the Hondo Hotel and are adding an up-to-date bar for the serving of beer. They report business satisfactory since taking charge of the hotel. Their rates have been materially reduced over former rates.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kollman and Mr. L. E. Kollman returned this week from Teague, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kollman, and from Mexia where they also visited relatives. Mr. Harry Kollman who recently moved with his family to Teague from Hondo last week opened up a new Red and White Store in that city.

Dr. H. J. Meyer returned from the hospital on Friday evening of last week and is recuperating rapidly from the effects of his recent illness. The acute attack of last week which caused him to be hurried back to the hospital was diagnosed as a blood-clot which obstructed for the time being his breathing and caused intense pain. Absorption of the clot removed the cause of the pain and he is now well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. F. H. Schweers entertained the Ladies' Bridge Club at her home last Thursday afternoon with two tables of bridge. Mrs. Fletcher Davis won high score prize and Mrs. O. B. Taylor won the cut prize. Refreshments of pineapple salad and iced tea were served. The guests were Miss Lillian Brucks, Mesdames L. J. Brucks, O. B. Taylor, L. E. Heath, Fletcher Davis, W. O. Rothe, Earl Starnes and A. H. Schweers, and the hostess, Mrs. F. H. Schweers.



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QUIHI NOTES.

But my covenant will I establish with Isaac. Gen. 17:21.

"Gimme much or gimme more, only gimme." The government has heard much of this melody of late. And the flood-gates were opened wide, and there is trouble ahead for the party daring to close them. And the same melody is dinning the ears of the Lord from every nook of the globe. Hundreds of petitions to one voice of praise and thanksgiving. He cannot overdo that "gimme" for most of us. Millions remember Him for that "gimme" game only. But few are satisfied with His "hand-outs" and it's a surprise in heaven when one cries out, Enough; and perhaps a shock when a solitary cry goes up, Lord, it's too much! Abraham was one of those exceptional cases. He does not ask for a particular miracle in his favor—a son in his old age. He would be fully satisfied with less, with the continued life and future history, whatever it amounts to, of Ishmael, the son of a slave mother, and forego the glory of legitimate offspring and the blessing it was to convey to all the world. The Lord cuts off this false modesty with the words of our text. He selects His own types for His history and brooks no interference. Sometimes He almost forces His benefactions upon man. There are rare instances where the Lord commands, Open thy mouth WIDE and I will fill it. (Ps. 81:10), but they are not made by that "gimme" spirit.

At this immensely busy time of the year, we were glad to have at least 16 members and a half dozen guests at our last Ladies' Aid meet. It was an hour of devotion, encouragement and pleasurable convocation. From various sources came in the expressions of thanks for kindnesses received of late. The newly purchased pulpit Bible was carefully looked over and found satisfactory. The gift is highly appreciated by pastor and congregation. The guiding hand of God was pointed out in a "War Episode" read at this occasion. And the assembly was well taken care of by the hostesses, the Mesdames C. W. Grell, Otto Neuman and Geo. Balzen. Thanks.

Those pastoral visits were somewhat restricted by bad crossings, impassable roads of late, and especially due to the fact that other duties engaged the time and attention of the parishioners, the pressing field work in the first instance, and we thought it almost an interference to impose our visit on them. We'll make up for it. Several are living a long distance from the parsonage and the visits there are somewhat few and far between. But they are not entirely forgotten. So we ventured up into the mountains recently and saw the Alb. Eckhart family. We enjoyed first class hospitality, also the wonderful scenery and the green pastures and heavy crops. Getting stalled in the water and going down a kind of stair-case on a detour strip, well, that's another chapter. The trip was not marred by the lack of tarviated roads. We've enjoyed it.

Announcements for August the 11th: English service at 10; Sunday school and Bible classes at 9; evening service at 8. Let no other duties keep you from these services. "He is thy Lord, and worship thou him." Ps. 45:11.

Herman Finger left last Saturday for Bastror and on Sunday attended the McDowell-Adamcik nuptials at Smithville. He was accompanied from San Antonio by Mr. M. L. McDowell.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rothe and Alice Reinhart attended the funeral of Miss Annie Huehner in San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar de Montel and Charles de Montel of Castroville were guests of Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass Wednesday.

Miss Carolyn Dunderstadt, who underwent an appendectomy on August 1st, was able to leave Medina Hospital yesterday for her home near Yancey.

FOR McCORMICK-DEERING FARMALL TRACTORS AND PARTS, CALL MILLER SERVICE STATION, PHONE 129, HONDO, TEXAS.

Mrs. A. M. Foster of Refugio arrived Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Roy Pfeil. Mrs. Foster will be remembered as formerly Miss Rosie Neuman of Hondo.

Mr. Thomas Specht of New Braunfels is here checking in as local manager for the Southern Gas Utilities, Inc. Mr. Specht has been connected with the company at New Braunfels.

Albert Bendele and Clarence Haby of Riomedina were in Hondo Monday. They were boosting a rodeo and race meet for Sunday, August 11th, at Burrell's race track on the upper Medina.

Mr. Will James of the Green Tag Store is back from a pleasure trip through parts of East Texas and Western Louisiana. Luring his trip he visited some of the big oil fields of that section.

Miss Josephine Brucks of Ft. Worth and her sisters, Misses Anna Leah and Genevieve Brucks, left Wednesday morning for a several days' visit with friends in Houston and Galveston.

Owing to the continued illness of Judge Lee Wallace of Kerrville, Judge Ballard Coldwell of the El Paso District is here and presiding in his stead over the summer term of the District Court.

Miss Mildred Schmidt of Sander-son, who has been recuperating at the Medina Hospital from a major operation performed several weeks ago, left last week for Devine where she will complete her convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Schweers were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Schweers had as their guests Sunday their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schweers, and the latter's sister, Mrs. H. Aroe, all of Houston.

The hearing in district court here Wednesday of the Castroville school bond election contest case brought a large number of Castroville people to Hondo. After devoting the greater part of the day to a re-count of the ballots, the case was recessed until Saturday morning.

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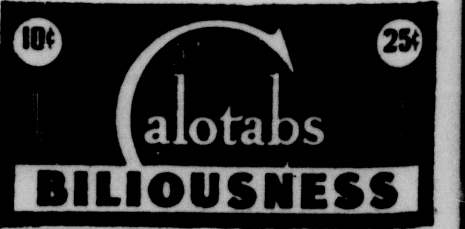
METHODIST CHURCH. Shan M. Hull, Pastor.

Next Sunday morning the pastor will bring a most special message dealing with the subject, "Was National Prohibition a Failure? And Why we as Texans Should Vote Against the Repeal of the 18th Amendment", using the text found in the book of Romans, the 15th chapter and the 11th verse: "And that knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep." It seems that ever since the 18th amendment was passed that the greater majority of the supporters of the amendment felt that the matter was forever and eternally settled, and that there was no need for any further efforts on the part of the prohibitionists; in fact, one of our great church leaders made the remark, saying: "There was no more chance for the 18th amendment to be repealed than there was for a humming bird to fly to heaven with the Rock of Gibraltar tied to its tail." Had our great leader known what was then in the minds of the great enemies of the cause of prohibition, he might have said: "There would be no chance for the amendment to be repealed, if the supporters of the amendment would keep their eyes open and stay on the job." But alas, the Bible says, "while we slept, the enemy sowed tares", so now, if we ever expect to keep the open saloon out of our great State, it is high time for us to awake out of our sleep, and go to the poles on the 24th and VOTE; EXPRESS YOUR CONVICTIONS, AND VOTE AGAINST THE REPEAL. Let not the saloon come back to the Lone Star State, because of your indifference to the great cause. "And that knowing the times, it is high time that we were awaking out of our sleep."

We were all delighted with the fine gathering at the Baptist Church last Sunday evening. The Methodist pastor preached from the subject, "Has Jesus come back to earth again, or is He yet to come?" We were greeted with the largest attendance last Sunday evening that we have had so far this summer, during our Union Services. The service for this coming Sunday evening will be held at the Methodist Church, with the Baptist pastor, Rev. Merrill bringing the message. Let's all give him a good crowd. What do you say?

Some months ago the Board of Stewards, with the pastor, set the date for their Revival Meeting, to begin the 2nd Sunday in August. Following the meeting of the Board, the pastor went away to hold a revival meeting; upon his return, he found that the town had organized a Soft Ball League, and that plans had been made to play two or three evenings out of each week, throughout the summer, and continuing into September; so rather than have a conflict between the League and the Church, the pastor called a meeting of his Board of Stewards, and a committee was appointed to meet with the Directors of the League. The meeting was held Wednesday afternoon of this week, at which time satisfactory arrangements were made. It was agreed by both committees for the League to play one game each night for four nights a week during the revival meeting, beginning at 7 P. M. and quitting at 8:15 P. M.; then following the revival, the League would carry on its regular program. We wish to express our most hearty appreciation for the fine spirit of cooperation that was manifested by the sponsors of the baseball league with the committee from the church. Therefore, we wish to announce that our Revival Meeting will begin the third Sunday morning of August, and not the second Sunday as had been planned. The Revival will be held in the open air; the definite location will be announced next week. Your most hearty cooperation is desired.


Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merriman and daughter, Betty Jean, have been spending the past week in Corpus Christi with Mr. Merriman's uncle, Mr. Eli T. Merriman.



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L. A. Saathoff was a business call-
er at this office Wednesday.

Mrs. Ellen Beitel of San Antonio is
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this week.

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An 8 1-2 pound boy was born Aug-
ust 6, 1935, at the Medina Hospital,
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Neuman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroeder of
San Antonio were the week-end
guests of Judge and Mrs. Ed de Mon-
tel.

Born, August 2 1935, to Mr. and
Mrs. Maurice Lutz of D'Hanis, a
1-2 pound girl, at the Medina Hos-
pital.

Master Bobby Nester, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Emmett Nester, had his ton-
sils removed on July 31st at Medina
hospital.

Mr. Ernest Bendele was a business
caller at this office yesterday, bring-
ing some nice young roastingears for
the editor's family to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Batot left for
Austin Tuesday, after a few days
visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Eliz Batot and Mrs. Sadie Hutzler.

Mr. J. B. Owen of Biry was oper-
ated for appendicitis on August 2nd
at the Medina Hospital here and is
reported satisfactorily recuperating.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuel Windrow re-
turned to their home in Laredo Sat-
urday, after a week's visit with re-
latives here. They were accompanied
by Miss Mary Elizabeth Meyer, who
will visit with them for a week or
more.

Mr. C. W. Gilliam went to Marlin
last week, and was accompanied home
by Mrs. Gilliam who had spent sever-
al weeks there under medical treat-
ment. Mrs. Gilliam's friends will be
glad to know that her health is great-
ly improved.

Geo. H. Kimmey, who has been on
an indisposed list for some time, un-
derwent a serious operation at the
Santa Rosa Infirmary Saturday of
last week. He was progressing so
satisfactorily that he was returned
home Wednesday. He made the trip
without any ill effects and his friends
hope to see him soon restored to his
normal health.

Mr. P. Jungman is in receipt of an
invitation to be the guest of the 36th
Division National Guards at their
summer encampment at Camp Helen
August 16th. The Division Com-
mander, Major-General John A.
Hulen, will retire on September 9th
and as this will be the last time he
will have charge of the encampment
it is expected that his friends will
make it as memorable as possible in
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Plaza Cafe Rustlers	3	1	.750
Sinclair Dinosaurs	2	1	.666
Leinweber's Lions	2	1	.666
H-H Hot Shots	2	2	.500
Grell's Comedians	1	3	.250
Red & White Specials	1	3	.250

Girls Teams

Palle's Pullets	2	0	.100
Fly's Swatters	0	2	.000

Last Thursday Night's Results.

In the first game last Thursday night the H-H Hot Shots lived up to their name by turning back the Leinweber Lions 13 to 4. The Hot Shot's infield showed great improve-ment over their previous games, with the addition and re-arrangement of several players. The Hot Shots collected 16 hits to 9 by the Lions.

In the second game Palle's Pullets rang up their second successive victory over Fly's Swatters by the score of 15 to 6.

Batteries: Jo Reilly pitching and Ginger Fusselman catching for the Pullets. Cameron pitching and Garber catching for the Swatters.

Wednesday night results, Aug. 7th.

In the first game the H-H Hot Shots swamped Grell's Comedians by the one-sided score of 26 to 3. The Hot Shots got 23 hits off Wenmohs and Oefinger. Bradley al-lowed the Comedians 7 hits.

Tony Taylor with 4 hits out of 5 and J. H. Rothe, with two doubles and a home run were the leading hitters for the winners.

In the second game the Plaza Cafe team defeated the Red & White Specials 15 to 5. The Rustlers gar-nered 16 hits to the Specials 11.

Batteries: Lamb and Taylor for the Rustlers. Hollmig and Fusselman for the Specials.

SOFTBALL STATISTICS.
Including Games through Aug. 7th.

LEADING HITTERS.
At bat 8 times or more.

Player	Pct.
John Finger	.929
M. Grell	.643
Preston Gaines	.636
Roy Schweers	.636
J. H. Rothe	.625
Jerome Finger	.625
Al Hollmig	.600
Rudy Rath	.600
Roy Grant	.545
H. Lamb	.533
B. Schweers	.533
Tony Taylor	.533
J. Fusselman	.533
Toby Taylor	.529
Bob Zerr	.529
Aug. Finger	.500
Homer Kothe	.500
"Boss" Finger	.500
Ben Oefinger, Jr.	.500
Horace Schweers	.500

Home-Run Leaders.

J. H. Rothe	4
Roy Schweers	3
John Finger	2
Preston Gaines	2
Al Hollmig	2
Harry Mueller	2
Alfred Breiten	1
Robert Reynolds	1
Tony Taylor	1
Bob Zerr	1
Horace Schweers	1
Rudy Rath	1
B. Schweers	1
Hartman	1

Those scoring 8 runs or more:

Lamb	12
Hartman	11
John Finger	10
Tony Taylor	9
Al Hollmig	9
Buss	9
Toby Taylor	8
J. H. Rothe	8
Aug. Finger	8
Harry Mueller	8

Mrs. Emil Graff was a business caller at this office yesterday and moved up her dates to both of our papers.

TELEPHONE CO. DEFEATS HONDO ALL-STARS.

In one of the best softball games played on the local diamond the Bell Telephone Co. team of San Antonio defeated the Hondo All-Stars in a hard fought game here Monday night the score being 4 to 3 in favor of the visitors.

Saddler, ace moundsman for the All-Stars pitched a great game, allowing but four hits and striking out eleven batsmen; but errors robbed him of a victory.

Led by John Finger, walloping outfielder, who had a perfect night at bat with 3 singles a double and walk out of 5 trips to the plate, the locals collected eleven hits off the visiting pitcher.

Batteries: Saddler, Grant and Neuman for Hondo. Acree and Patterson for San Antonio.

Umpires: Meyer and Taylor; scor-er, Joe Wilson.

Score by innings:
All-Stars 001 002 000—3
Telephone Co. 010 001 020—4.

BROTHER DIES SUDDENLY.

Friends of Mrs. Carrie Wood Cam-eron of Hondo were grieved to hear of the sudden death Tuesday night, July 30, 1935, of her brother, Edward G. Wood, of San Antonio. Mr. Wood was 45 years of age. He was born in Dallas and moved to San Antonio 13 years ago. He was at the time of his death president of the Alamo Ab-stract and Title Guaranty Co., as well as of the Hydro Gas Co.

The funeral took place Friday morning at 10 o'clock, August 2, from the residence, 115 Main Drive East, and at 10:30 from St. Ann's Catholic church. Burial was made in San Fernando Cemetery No. 2.

Besides Mrs. Cameron, Mr. Wood is survived by his wife and one daughter, Patricia; his mother, Mrs. Emma S. Wood, who was on a visit to Kentucky at the time; and two brothers, Charles O., of Lexington, Ky., and Robert B., of Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Cameron's friends extend their heartfelt sympathy to her and members of the family in their sor-ow.

HUTZLER RITES IN CASTROVILLE MONDAY.

Funeral services for Lorenz Hutz-ler, 86, 1815 Buena Vista street, San Antonio, pioneer Castroville resi-dent, who died Sunday, August 4, 1935, were held from the St. Louis Catholic Church in Castroville Mon-day morning, the Rev. Father Joseph Jacobi and the Rev. Father Lenzen officiating. Survivors are several daughters, Mrs. Albert Deckert, Mrs. Fred Mittlemaier, Mrs. August Britz and Miss Rose Hutzler, San Antonio; sons, Alex J. Hutzler, Martin J. Hutzler and Henry J. Hutzler, San Antonio; nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Interment was made in Castroville.

TRADES DAY TO BE HELD HERE WEDNESDAY.

Wednesday, August 14th, will be regular monthly Trades Day in Hon-do. Farmers and ranchmen and their womenfolk will mingle with the local people to make the usual interested crowd during the event, which will be held at 3 P. M. on College Square.

Before and after the Trades Day observance, the visitors are invited to trade with the merchants who make the event possible. See their announcement elsewhere in this paper.

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D'Hanis	10	3	.769
Knippa	9	3	.750
Sabinal	9	5	.644
Hondo	4	9	.308
LaCoste	1	13	.071

Last Sunday's Results.
D'Hanis 3, Sabinal 2.
Hondo forfeited to LaCoste.

Games Next Sunday.
D'Hanis at Hondo (double header).
LaCoste at Knippa.

D'HANIS WINS IN 11 INNINGS.

Fighting desperately for the top position in the hectic Highway 90 League race, being closely pressed by Knippa and Sabinal, the D'Hanis Pirates, playing before the annual home-coming crowd Sunday at D'Hanis, were forced to go 11 innings before they could down the equally hard fighting and scrappy Hustlers from Sabinal.

As the game went into extra in-nings, nothing happened until the eleventh, when Sabinal pushed over a run, but the Pirates came back in their half with two.

The first run of the game was scored by Sabinal in the second in-nings. Owens led off with a long three-base knock to left and scored on Mason's hit to right.

The Pirates tied it up in the sev-enth, when Jim Finger took second on Mason's overthrow of first. He advanced to third on an infield out and scored when A. Koch struck out, when the catcher dropped the third strike and had to make a throw to first.

Nester retired in the tenth as he had worked 15 innings on his last ap-pearance on the mound. He was suc-ceeded by T. Finger, a southpaw, who walked W. Butler to start the elev-enth. He retired McNair on a pop fly, but Thornberry doubled to left, scoring Butler.


In the D'Hanis half, Ed Finger was called out on strikes, Joe Finger was hit by a pitched ball, T. Finger walk-ed, M. Koch lined out to center for the second out. Jim Finger then took matters into his own hands and drove a terrific line drive into left center good for three bases.

SABINAL— AB. R. H. O. A. E.
W. Butler, 2b 4 1 0 1 5 0
McNair, ss 5 0 1 4 5 0
Thornberry, p 5 0 2 0 1 0
T. Arnim, lf 5 0 1 0 0 0
Owens, 1b 4 1 2 12 0 0
Mason, 3b 4 0 1 0 1 1
Sinclair, rf-c 3 0 0 2 1 0
R. Butler, cf 3 0 0 3 0 0
C. Arnim, c 3 0 0 10 2 0
Worden, rf 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 37 2 7 32 15 1
Two out when winning run scored.

D'HANIS—
Joe Finger, lf 3 1 1 4 1 0
T. Finger, cf-p 4 1 0 5 0 0
M. Koch, ss 5 0 0 3 4 1
Jim Finger, 1b 5 1 2 11 0 0
A. Finger, c 4 0 0 4 1 0
A. Koch, 3b 4 0 1 2 2 0
Carle, 2b 4 0 1 2 3 0
Brown, rf 2 0 0 1 0 0
Zerr, rf 1 0 0 0 0 0
Nester, p 2 0 0 1 3 0

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26-35	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90	1.00
36-45	.12 1/2	.25	.37 1/2	.50	.62 1/2	.75	.87 1/2	1.00	1.12 1/2	1.25
46-50	.15	.30	.45	.60	.75	.90	1.05	1.20	1.35	1.50
51-55	.20	.40	.60	.80	1.00	1.20	1.40	1.60	1.80	2.00
56-60	.30	.60	.90	1.20	1.50	1.80	2.10	2.40	2.70	3.00
61-65	.44	.88	1.32	1.76	2.20	none	none	none	none	none
66-70	.59	1.18	1.77	none	none	none	none	none	none	none

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MATCHES, 6 Boxes, good grade	.20
PEACHES, 2 Tall Cans	.19
JELLO, 3 Packages	.20
COCOA, 2 lbs.	.19
TOMATO PASTE, 3 cans	.10
MILK, 3 Small Cans	.10
MILK, 3 Tall Cans	.20
POWDERED SUGAR, 3 packages	20c
SARDINES, 3 Cans Booth's	.25
SARDINES, 6 cans American	.25
Salmon, 2 Tall Cans Peter Pan	.25
TOMATO SOUP, 3 cans Campbell's	.25
LUX TOILET SOAP, 3 bars	.20
LIFE BUOY SOAP, 3 bars	.20
AMERICAN LYE, 3 tall cans	.25
SUPER SUDS, 3 Regular boxes	.25
SOAP, 6 Giant Bars Crystal White	.25
SOAP, 7 Small Bars Crystal White	.25
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THE ROMANCE OF THE RABBIT.

By Gloria Brumby.

As the green gaping mouth of the mailbox clanked shut, Edith Preston's fair dreams of recapturing the carefree and spontaneous spirit of youth disappeared, and she was at least saved from any further planning of the few weeks' distant vacation. No longer would it be necessary to add to the young mountain of maps and route books that had grown upon the Winthrop desk at her home, and in the top right hand drawer of her desk in the office. No longer need she be conscious of the signs of the season which thru the ages had made men and women forget their troubles and believe that life is good. No longer need she gaze with possessive eye upon the fifty little gray and maroon roadster—the car sensation of the year—that she had dreamed would wait for her for four joyous weeks from the city's uncleanliness and ill to where gay brooks meander and quiet lakes entice, because the seven hundred dollars that would have transported her thru alluring paradises had just been swallowed up by the square green stomach of Uncle Sam's mailbox, and there was nothing left in her purse or her bank wherewith to satisfy her urge for the open road this year, at any rate. All during the years of the depression she had said hopefully "Next year I will do it", but something had always happened to swallow up her dreams.

As she slowly turned her steps of-
fice-wards she remembered that what had happened had been worse, much worse, than her investments going blooey, or her unknown great aunt showing up for the World's Fair and staying the whole of her vacation, and her mouth twisted in an expression that made her heart beat furiously and unevenly.

"Maybe I am a fool," she said half aloud. "Everyone has an inalienable right to happiness so why should I give up my fondest desires again even for Jolen. I don't believe that she ever took her employer's money anyway. I believe that he just cleverly manufactured the charge so that she would be forced to marry him. I don't think he'd have the nerve to carry out his threat of prosecution." Then a softening gleam came into her grim blue eyes. Of course, she just couldn't have let her little half-sister, Jolen, go to prison or marry the man she hated—and oh how Jolen did hate Merton Graham—as an alternative. No, of course, laughing golden-eyed, pleasure-loving little Jolen couldn't be allowed to face even the shadow of disgrace or unhappiness—little Jolen, the baby for which her lovely mother had given up her lovely life, a life so worth-while and so interesting.

The outside air was fresh and warm and the birds were mad with summer joy—just as excited as she had been with life less than ten days ago. She found it very difficult to concentrate on her work and the figures of her accounts seemed to be vagabonding about on wheels. To work on such a day and at such a time needed a lot of courage.

Then her assistant, Gladys Holstead, pranced into the office on holiday toes.

"Something for you, Miss Preston," she said gaily. "Lovely weather to do what one likes to do most, and for me that's just to be a lily of the field for a blessed few weeks." The girl waltzed away leaving Edith Preston to open the firm's envelope. A check for one hundred dollars fluttered to the floor. "With the firm's compliments and best wishes for a pleasant vacation and an invigorated return."

Edith Preston for all her thirty-five years felt like a five-year-old on a picnic. It was years since the firm had given vacation bonuses and the thrill of the unexpected charmed her. True, business had been improving for the last year—anyway she didn't quiet know whether to laugh or weep so she just set to work furiously at the long columns of figures that were as jumpy as herself.

On a little used car lot near the office reposed old warriors of the lane and road in various stages of decline, but all guaranteed to have three months' life in their rheumatic old frames.

One Saturday afternoon in exchange for fifty of her dollars, Edith Preston became owner of the Rabbit—a jerky old taupe roadster with a chipped white trim. At other times Edith Preston, Certified Public Accountant, would have been ashamed to drive anything just like the Rabbit home. Anyway he was guaranteed for three months and only four weeks of the white roads beneath and the blue skies above were allotted to her. After that he could curl up and die for all she cared. If he would do his thirty miles an hour for thirty days he could fall down anytime he felt like it, after that.

It was on a real dirt country road that sometime afterwards the Rabbit refused to live up to his guarantee. He would neither jump nor glide, and all the coaxing and cajoling that Edith's feminine hands could administer were without avail, and she re-

alized that to struggle with him was useless. The stars came out and on that mountainside they looked friendly and near. Edith didn't feel at all frightened as she got back into the antiluvian Rabbit and prepared herself for several lazy hours both on his part and hers.

She must have fallen asleep, because her eyes opened on a glittering blue sedan parked on the other side of the road just a little in front of her.

The Rabbit honked feebly and a man leaped out of the parked car. Edith also removed herself from the inside of the Rabbit.

"Pardon me," she said lightly. "this old animal refuses to budge and it's getting late. I wonder if you can help me make him change his mind."

"That's just what I've been waiting the last hour for. You looked so sweet sleeping in the old carcass that I just hated to disturb you. I was sort of watching over you, you know."

Edith blushed slightly. "That's very gallant of you in an age when knighthood is not in flower."

"But you're quite wrong there young lady. Knighthood forever flowers in the presence of loveliness."

"Don't you think we had better examine the Rabbit's anatomy right away," and as they stooped over and looked under the old thing together Edith Preston felt happier than she had ever done in her busy life. A quiver of emotion overwhelmed her for a moment as the tall man wriggled from under the Rabbit and stood close beside her wiping his hands on a huge linen handkerchief.

"Can't find the trouble at all. Has he shown any symptoms of anything recently?"

"Only old age," laughed Edith. "But that's not surprising. He was only given three months to live when I got hold of him and we've already been on the road ten days—I may say ten happy days."

Richard Allen's brown eyes gleamed into his companion's.

"Why not leave him here to die peacefully and finish your excursion in my joy-wagon?" he said.

"Oh, never. I simply couldn't leave the poor old Rabbit to die on the cow-path, and besides I may be a lady bandit on the prowl."

"You haven't any choice on the one, and I'll take a chance on the other," drawled Richard smiling. "But let's tow him into the village boneyard and R. I. P."

"Okay, Mr.—"

"Dick Allen, Miss Preston. You see I know who you are. I am the scapegrace nephew of old Harvey Glen, of Glen & Haskell, C. P. A., and I recollect seeing you in their office, but it seems that the fates had allotted the introduction to our Rabbit friend here for which I for one am truly grateful."

"And I for another, and always will be."

"I hope so," said Richard as he helped Edith into the gray sedan. She tucked an offending wisp of honey-colored hair under her natty blue cap and settled herself while Richard fixed the tow rope.

Romance never takes a vacation in the summertime and although Edith Preston returned home without the Rabbit she had attached herself to something more reliable.

UP AGAIN AND ON AGAIN.

Although I walked a rough dark road
Along with my own heavy load;
And though I stumbled through the dark,

I now can har the morning lark:
"Up again and on again."

Distinct before me like a prayer
My mother's face gleams everywhere.
And angel-like the vision seems—
She spoke to me in all my dreams:
"Up again and on again."

I know the world is up side down
And I am just a poet-clown;
But still a voice comes to my ear
Commanding ever strong and clear:
"Up again and on again."

Although poor and weak and small,
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I aims tuh beller an' opine them gents was proddy all tuh time
An' right convincin' with their kine: they gets in plenty dutch!

I reads about their chivalry, iron pants an' shirts an' heraldry,
An' all their brag an' devilry—it sure goes over big.
I tries it out on Jean-Marie: This eye is what she gives tuh me;
Yeah! Love ain't what it usta be,—
I hopes tuh kiss a pig!

Now Jean was amblin' down tuh street, a-steppin' high an' lookin' neat.
An' pausin' now an' then tuh greet some polecats of our place;
When out steps "Pizen Likker" Jim a-wearin' guns an' scowlin' grim,
Like thunder clouds along tuh rim a-squinchin' of his face!

Says Jim, "Now what's yore hurry Miss? I'm yearnin' fer uh lovin' kiss.
Tuh fill muh dang heart full uh bliss—them lips is plenty sweet!"
He edges nearer all tuh time a-handin' out his mushy line,
An' was she smacked? Well I opine! Right there upon tuh street.

I steps up feelin' doggone brave
"Unhand tuh wench, base ornery knave,
Elst wilst thou feel muh trusty glaive; now lope, yuh skunk!" I warns.
"She ain't no slinkin' scullery maid tuh kiss uh loosed ramblin' blade Ayaunt! Or else, by Godfrey's shade I'll bust thee 'tween tuh horns!"

He pulls his gun an', sneerin' mean he lines tuh sights upon muh bean,
I stampedes wild right over Jean a-tearin' from that spot.
There ain't no knightly rule fer this no joustin' fer uh female's kiss,
I hopes tuh proddy cuss will miss—and then I hears tuh shot!

Much later on I lopes tuh town a-feelin' sad an' plumb bogged down;
I meets Jean an' she wears uh frown—
I fetches of uh sigh.
I raise polite muh punctured hat an pauses fer uh little chat
She reaches low an' then—kerspat! She hands me this black eye.

I dreams no more of belted Earls er gents that's noble, knaves er churls,
I jousts no more fer any girls; tuh thought fills me with gloom.
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There were 80 per cent more supplies in the cattle division than the preceding Monday, and this increase had its effect on the lower grades where stock dragged considerably. Some calves were good enough to bring \$7, however, representing a 50-cent increase over last week's top for choice animals. The general spread of calves was from \$5.50 to \$5. Butcher calves brought from \$2.50 to \$4 and bulls were priced from \$3 to \$4.

The sheep and goat markets were inactive.

Receipts and quotations Monday were: Cattle, 293 head; calves, 563 head; (last Monday, 276 and 310); calves, common and rannies, \$2.50 @ \$3.50; general spread of calves, \$3.50 @ \$5; better kinds to choice, \$6 @ \$7; common to medium grass steers, \$3 @ \$4; better kinds to choice, \$4.25 @ \$5; canner and cutter cows, \$1.50 @ \$2.50; plain butcher cows, \$2.50 @ \$3; plain butcher cows, \$3 @ \$3.50; good and fat, \$3.50 @ \$4; bulls, \$3 @ \$3.50; beer bulls, \$3.50 @ \$4.

Hogs, 94 head; choice 175-250 pounds, \$10; mediums and heavyweights, \$7.50 @ \$9; lights and feeder pigs, \$6.50 @ \$7.50.

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OFF-HAND OBSERVATIONS

By R. R. Claridge.
Staff Contributor.

To a man up a tree or on the fence, it begins to look as if Senator Huey Long is trying, for one thing, to save to his state what little of state rights, big business, bureaucratic bolshevism, has left to it.

Why did too many farmers vote for the Wallace-Bunk-head bill? Because the junior partner of the Federal-State agricultural conglomeration sent county agents out to tell the farmers that the bunkhead bill had something to do with the jump of cotton price from six to 18 cents.

Cotton and wheat value doubled because the President stabilized the price at the double, a thing the Old Guard had been trying to get the farmers to do for themselves from way back. Why had they not done just that? They had made two or three honest stalls at it, in the Farmers Union and the Farm Labor Union, notably.

Why didn't the honest efforts of the farmers, under the leadership of such men as Barrett and Fitzwater succeed? Because old Sapiro's Farm Bureau Federation, in which Wallace was a high muck-a-muck, broke them up. This organization, headed by the infernal Jew, Sapiro, had backing it, the Federal-State partnership, the daily newspapers, the city smart set, a big majority in the state legislatures; in fact, the nation over, the Sapiro fake had about all the money and all the noise to back it.

Except in rare instances, when came on the scene, a Governor like Jim Hogg, and Jim Ferguson in Texas, or Bill Murray in Oklahoma, the honest to God farm organizations, had the Governors to contend with, as to which Dan Moody and Ross Sterling were opaque examples. And when Texas or other states accidentally got a good governor, the whole howling pack of timber wolves mentioned in the preceding paragraph, did their blank best to put them up a tree. They impeached Jim Ferguson for trying to clean up the mess left him by his predecessors.

Why did they throw Jim out? Because they could not use him. What he did do, or tried to do for the people of Texas, in the face of a daily press and legislative dust storm, backed by influences that did not like what he did or tried to do, affords ample elucidation as to why they had to get rid of Jim. And when the sleepy voters "come to" and began to rub the dust out of their eyes, which they do periodically, with too many commas between the periods, explains the reason he "come back".

As to Sapiro, the last I ever heard of the infernal old Jew, he was in jail the second time, for racketeering with Al Capone in Chicago. It's hard to keep a rich man in jail long, no matter how lengthy and still are the razorback bristles on his spinal column.

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HOW WE SHALL VOTE

By Fletcher Davis.
Editor.

The people of Texas will be called upon to vote on seven proposed changes in the Texas Constitution at a special election for that purpose on August 24th.

The proposals will be numbered and are discussed below in the order of their appearance on the ticket, and those voting for will scratch the paragraph beginning "Against" and those voting against will scratch the paragraph beginning "For".

1.
FOR the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide a System of Old Age Assistance not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month per person and to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old age assistance.

AGAINST, etc.

We shall vote against this amendment.

The state is delinquent now in its payments to Confederate veterans and for current expenses. We should assume no more financial burdens until we have discharged those already contracted. Furthermore, no more Federal-State partnerships should be encouraged.

2.
FOR the Amendment of Article 1, Section 15, of the State Constitution by adding to said Section a provision to the effect that the Legislature may provide for the temporary commitment of mentally ill persons not charged with a criminal offense by the County

Court without the necessity of a jury trial.

AGAINST, etc.

We are against this Amendment. Trial by jury, defective as it may be, is the best safeguard yet devised for the protection of a man's freedom. It cannot be denied to the humblest without endangering all.

3.
FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution repealing state wide prohibition, prohibiting the open saloon and providing for local option.

AGAINST, etc.

This one proposal we shall vote for, not for any merit it contains of its own but because most any change is to be preferred to the conditions that now exist.

4.
FOR the Amendment to Section 1, Article XVIII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed at Special Sessions of the Legislature under certain conditions.

AGAINST, etc.

It is too easy to amend our Constitution now. The adoption of this Amendment would afford an excuse for more frequent sessions of the Legislature, and lead to constant tinkering with our fundamental law. Texas should have none of it. We shall vote against its adoption.

5.
FOR the Amendment to the State
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Million Dollar Hall of State is Feature of Centennial Exposition



Central unit of the Texas Centennial Exposition, the Texas State Building, will cost \$1,200,000. Designed by a committee of Texas architects, the building will be a massive structure of Texas limestone with a frontal width of 488 feet, a depth of 258 feet and 80 feet high at its center, where the Niche of Heroes will be located. The two front wings

will be occupied by regional rooms, devoted to the four geographical divisions of the state—East, West, North, and South—while at the extreme ends will be the Halls of 1836 and 1936.

Forming a third wing, extending to the rear from the Niche of Heroes, will be the Great Hall of Texas. This hall will be a large room with six semi-circular bays in which will be

displayed flags of the six governments that have ruled Texas. At one end, silhouetted against stained-glass windows, will be a heroic statue symbolic of Texas. On the floor will be outlined a map of Texas with bronze markers showing historic places and old pioneer trails. Murals will decorate the bays and walls of the regional rooms. Below the great hall will be an auditorium.

The walls of the Niche of Heroes, behind its columns, will bear in relief heroic figures of the major heroes of Texas, while under the windows in the side colonnades will be placed smaller figures of other historic Texas characters.

The interior of the Hall of 1836 will be a replica of a Texas mission, while that of the Hall of 1936 will be modern.

HOW WE SHALL VOTE.

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Constitution authorizing the Courts to place defendants on probation. AGAINST, etc.

This is another companion piece of legislation along with the suspended sentence, the chief virtue of which is to serve as a loophole for shyster lawyers to cheat justice. We are against it.

6.

FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers, and all county officers in counties having a population of 20,000 or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether county officers and precinct officers in counties containing less than 20,000 population may be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis.

AGAINST, etc.

The man who pays a "fee" now pays for a service rendered or a privilege granted to him; the effect of this amendment will be to lift the burden from the beneficiary and place it on the taxpayers as a whole. We are against it.

7.

FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting the furnishing of free text books to every child of scholastic age attending any school within this state.

AGAINST, etc.

This Amendment not only takes another long step into state socialism, but invites a partnership of "church and state"; from the standpoint of Democratic government it is vicious in the extreme. If the people of Texas are wise, and especially those who cherish their denominational schools, they will have none of it. We shall vote against this Amendment.

Every good citizen owes a duty to understand the proposals and to vote intelligently thereon.

We challenge anyone to show that the above objections are not valid and that they justify the rejection of the six Amendments as named.

Study them for yourself; and do your duty.

OFF-HAND OBSERVATIONS.

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P. S. Farming readers may remember that, for several years, I have been predicting a cotton, meat and work-stock famine as result of the Bunkhead--Wallace crime of destroying what people eat and wear. And, to date, while too serious matter for a joke, the world is making fun of it.

As to cotton, I may have to take back the famine phase of my prediction, as foreign cotton producing countries are preparing to supply the shortage in this country and abroad. Brazil, for instance, is doubling its acreage, and has agents loose in our country soliciting labor and settlers to compete with our Southern states producers of the staple.

And, if there is any tariff protection against an avalanche of slave-made foreign cotton, in direct competition with our Southern farmers, it was done when I wasn't lookin'.
Salmon, Texas.

oOo

Seedling peaches, plums and other fruits that have unusual quality but that have not been named yet are being budded to nursery stock for experimental purposes by the Texas Extension Service and the Agricultural Experiment Station in cooperation, according to J. F. Rosborough, Extension horticulturist. Anyone having unusual seedlings, or knowing of anyone who does, should get in touch with Rosborough giving the name and address of the owner. Ship-

ping tags and other necessary material will be sent the owner so that the Extension Service and the Experiment Station may get buds for the test plots. The budding work was started last year, when buds from almost 100 different seedlings were budded onto nursery stock. The trees were then transplanted to various experiment stations in the State for a five year test. The object of the experiment is to make available to the people of the State the best of the new seedlings which otherwise would not be perpetuated, Rosborough said.

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGELIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1935

CASTROVILLE ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Sunday, Aug. 11.—Sunday school and Bible class at 9:00 A. M.

Divine service at 10:00 A. M. A special offering will be taken to carry on the ministry of mercy. "Let us not be weary in well-doing." God will bless our efforts.

K. KONZACK, Pastor.

Culled From The Castroville Page.

The LaCoste Ledger, Aug. 2.

Mr. Joe Gross from below D'Hanis visited here and at LaCoste Sunday.

Miss Betty Burrell spent the weekend with Miss Gertrude Mehr.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tschirhart were visiting with relatives here Sunday.

Miss Florentine Zimmerman spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Hitzfelder and family at Devine.

Miss Theresa Louise Rihn spent several days of the past week in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart from San Antonio were visiting here Sunday.

Messrs. W. H. Bell and August Bilhartz of Pearsall were here on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart from D'Hanis passed through here to San Antonio Sunday. Mr. Schuchart in-

ANVIL SPARKS.

Continued from first page.

provide maximum service at a minimum cost. The railroads did much to bring civilization to the wilderness in the beginning of this nation's expansion—they do much to keep civilized places from degenerating back to wilderness now.

In addition, the railroads are one of our greatest taxpayers, employers, purchasers of supplies. They offer a gigantic market in normal times for lumber, steel, copper, coal. They are a bulwark of all industry—and an essential public servant.—Industrial News Review.

BE NOT DECEIVED.

Be not deceived for he who is deceived is simple.

And the simple are not wise! No one can be blamed for accepting a free gift; who doesn't accept deprives himself and leaves perhaps the less worthy to profit by his self-denial.

But we are warned to "beware of the Greeks when they come bearing gifts".

In other words, we should understand the source of the gift and analyze the motives behind the tender. Unless we do that, we are liable, eventually if not soon, to wake up to a realization that we are being victimized rather than benefited.

For instance, no one would deny that the farmer who received more rental from the government for uncultivated acres than he earned from the cotton he cultivated but which for adverse weather conditions failed was "relieved".

But waiving aside the question of any government's moral right to tax one man to give to another, let us examine some of the economic angles of the government's plan to bring prosperity to all by taxing the consumers to pay the producers to reduce production.

Stripped of all excess verbiage and the circumlocutions of the economists whose purpose is to distort facts in order to fit economic laws to uneconomic means, that is the government's process for effectuating "farm relief".

So when a propagandist, either deceived himself or else seeking to deceive you, tells you, as so many have done in substance recently as to arouse the suspicion that it is only a parrot-like repetition from Washington, that "the processing tax is truly THE FARMER'S PROTECTIVE TARIFF", it is well to subject the statement to analysis.

The processing tax the farmer's protective tariff?

Let's see about that! The protective tariff comes out of the pocket of the purchaser of foreign made goods.

The processing tax comes out of the pockets of American consumers of American made goods.

In other words, the protective tariff taxes the non-customer of American made goods; the processing tax penalizes the customer of American made products.

The tariff tax burden, then, is on the customer of the foreign producer; as an American producer the burden of the processing tax is on your own customer.

Some difference, don't you think?

The protective tariff is justified on the ground that it produces revenue for the needed support of a government economically administered; no such claim is advanced for the processing tax.

There is no other moral justification for any tax; hence the processing tax, as a tax, is without moral justification on that score.

The very motive of a tax on imports of foreign-made goods makes it a "protection" to the home producer against the competition of the foreign producer.

The special favor comes to the

formed us that they had an 8-inch rain last week.

Mrs. Louis Schott was visiting with relatives in LaCoste last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holzhaus were visiting in San Antonio Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Bader and son, August, from Biry were visiting with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rihn are the proud parents of a son born Tuesday, July 30, 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Norma, from Cliff were Hondo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Grimsinger and Mary Christilles and sons from San Antonio were visiting with relatives here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Kempf and son, Lloyd Emery, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bush and son in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Biediger and Mrs. Mathilda Kempf visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hutzler at Dunlay Friday evening.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tschirhart was christened in the St. Louis Church. Sponsors were Mr. Albert Karm and Patricia Suehs.

Mrs. Anna Rimkus and son, Hugo, and Mr. and Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Theo. Prinz were visitors here Sunday.

home industry by enabling it to raise prices to the level of foreign goods prices plus the tariff levy.

The processing tax does the very opposite of this, throwing the burden on the consumers of American goods and making it correspondingly more difficult for the American producer to compete with the foreign producer, the fear of which competition has always been pleaded in justification of a protective tariff.

Naturally, the higher the import tax goes in penalizing the consumer of foreign made goods, the higher the price level can be raised on home products, all of which goes into the pockets of the producer as clear profit at no administrative cost to him; the beneficiaries of a processing tax must be content to accept a dole from an expensive government bureau after the administrative toll has been taken out.

The beneficiaries of a protective tariff enjoy a hands-off policy of a government that says here is an open field go to it; the beneficiaries of a processing tax are wards of a paternalistic government that in vouchsafing certain benefits demands the right to limit not only the benefits he shall receive but the quantity of products the producer may create.

Again some difference!

Under the beneficence—to the beneficiaries—of a protective tariff not only is the beneficiary secure from competition of foreign goods but he is at liberty to raise his prices to the limits of "diminishing returns" and expand volume production without other limitation than demand, thus garnering all the profits the industry will stand; the avowed purpose and the boasted achievement of protection to industry is and ever has been, to enlarge production and add to profits, thereby producing prosperity for its beneficiaries.

The working process of a processing tax is the reverse; it depends upon the government to peg the price of its products contrary to all economic law; it taxes the consumer of its own products, to reduce its own output, to make it more expensive for customers to remain its customers; it would woo prosperity by producing less, at more expense, of those things that constitute the producer's wealth—the only thing that can make prosperity.

A vast difference in method, is it not?

How can two forces working in opposite directions arrive at the same goal—prosperity for all?

Presuming that by some miraculous reversal of economic law, agriculture could be made prosperous by a "protective tariff" that works in reverse order; and presuming that there is no moral obloquy in adding to the burdens of the unfavored masses to augment the profits of the favored class—as the protective tariff has done—are the farmers of America ready to buy prosperity at the price of surrendering the management of their own affairs in their own way?

Are they prepared to barter their right to protection from the exploitation of other "favored" classes and their guarantee of freedom and self-direction in the "pursuit of happiness" for the doubtful favoritism of a government which demands the right to direct their business from Washington as the price of its dole—a dole that it first wrings from Agriculture's own customers?

No such surrender is demanded of the beneficiaries of the protective tariff.

Why should it be demanded of the farmer?

If you do not believe you are being thus "regimented" and directed from Washington, refuse to plow up what your County Committee orders plowed up and here is how you will have to go for a "redress of grievances" as given in a letter of instruction to inquiring congressmen over the signature of no less a personage than C. A. Cobb himself, Director of the Division of Cotton, AAA, Washington:

"In view of the fact that the Division of Cotton has had inquiries from some members of Congress with reference to the procedure being followed where cotton producers desire to appeal from the recommendations of their County Committee, we are pleased to give you the following information.

"A cotton producer who has JUST GROUNDS for being dissatisfied with recommendations of his County Committee regarding the final figures as to acreage or production may appeal his case to the State Adjustment Board. It is necessary that he file his appeal with his County Committee. After his appeal has been considered by the County Committee, the entire record is then forwarded to the State Adjustment Board. Upon receipt of such record, the Board will set the case down for a hearing on some particular date, at which time the producer as well as the representatives of the County Committee is given an opportunity to appear in person, if they so desire, and present their respective claim. After having heard the case, the Adjustment Board makes its recommendations in the case. In cases where his contract has been accepted by the Secretary, the decision of the State Board is not final, and the APPEAL THEN GOES TO THE DIVISION OF COTTON FOR FINAL DETERMINATION. The decision of the Adjustment Board is final only in cases where the matter at issue has been decided in accordance with authority given by regulations, administrative rulings, or instructions approved by the Secretary.

"You are further advised that the procedure for appeals covers cases arising under the Cotton Contract the Bankhead Act, and landlord and tenant questions.

"A representative of the Division of Cotton has been assigned to this particular phase of the Cotton Program and will keep in close touch with the State Adjustment Boards in the respective cotton-producing States. You are assured that these appeal cases are being given our very careful attention."

Of course, before one of FARMING'S readers takes his lawyer and goes to Washington to learn whether or not he has "just grounds" for refusing to plow up a few rows of cotton planted in excess of his "quota", we are sure he will KNOW HE HAS "JUST GROUNDS".

Such is the process of regimentation of agriculture.

Such is the price the farmer must pay for the doubtful "relief" vouchsafed him from Washington.

The hungry asked for bread and were given a stone.

The farmer asked for "relief" from his distress and had a tax placed on his product to pay for his own regimentation!

Be not deceived!

SHALL WE DESTROY THE WEALTH?

The recent proposals to create new and more stringent federal taxes, based on the demagogic demand of "share-the-wealth", have met with virtually unanimous denunciation from newspapers, from industrial leaders, and from the best economic commentators.

As many unbiased experts have pointed out, "share-the-wealth" would really "destroy-the-wealth". It is all very well to talk about soaking the rich, and about breaking up accumulated capital, but when you do that you break up industry, you destroy jobs, you artificially dry up the springs of productive enterprise, you stop progress—and in the long run, the person who gets soaked hardest is the man looking for a job.

These new proposals are not primarily destined to raise revenue—drastic and confiscatory as they are, they would produce but a minute fraction of the money that is being spent for federal activities. The rich are too few and far between, and the great estates that would be taxed almost into non-existence are rarer yet. The proposals come under the head of "reform"—and they are put forward at a time when other unprecedented "reforms" are the greatest obstacles in the way of recovery. We need to stimulate capital, not to frighten it; we need to give the investor the confidence that will make him put his money to work, not make him give up in despair because of policies that would destroy the accumulations and labors of generations.

Fair, equitable and reasonable taxation is essential to economic and social stability; inequitable, unfair and confiscatory taxation can create only havoc—at the expense of every worker, every home-owner, every citizen.—Industrial News Review.

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SPRING WIND.

All night the sad wind pleaded at my door
And beat against the pane with troubled cry.
With phantom tread it bent the trembling grass;
Its cool kiss made the early tulip die.

As day dawned chill, with sharpened breath and cold,
And frost-touched grass lay brown and worn and dead
I bent to pick the broken flow'r that lay
In shamed submission there, with lowered head.

As tenderly, I pressed it to my lips;
Its loose-curl'd petals joined the wind's gay flight;
And left me lonely with the broken stem,
Just as you left me, on that windy night.

Oh, Lord, must I in silence, suffer still;
And through the empty years play silent host,
To shattered dreams, illusions that have passed,
And as my tenant entertain—a ghost?

—AUDREY ETHEL CHENEY.

THIS SPRING.

This Spring,
O weary soul,
Rise up and look!
In the fields and in the meadows,
There are wonders strewn around;
Hollyhocks and daisies,
Lupines and phlox
Make a splash of color
Like a needlepoint design.

This Spring,
When it showers
And lilies star the grass,
Your heart will quicken
If you will bend to see
In the rain lily's cup
The miracle
Of a single raindrop
Mirroring the sky!

—MARY OCTAVIA DAVIS.

"WHARF ANGEL" CURRENT FILM.

A film of the waterfront is the Paramount film, "Wharf Angel", the current film at the Colonial Theatre. The cast includes Dorothy Dell, Victor McLaglen, Preston Foster and Alison Skipworth. Foster, suspected of murder resulting from a riot when he is making a soap-box speech, finds refuge in Skipworth's joint. To hide Foster from the police, McLaglen takes him as a stoke hand on a steamer to China. Not knowing they love the same girl, they become pals. But eventually everything is straightened out.

D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1935

HOME COMING DAY.

D'Hanis Home-coming Day, Aug. 4, and annual bazaar were a decided success. Many old friends and former citizens, as well as people from surrounding towns, were here for the celebration. It would be impossible to give the names of all who visited here on that occasion.

Mrs. John Rieber was the winner of a set of attractively embroidered sheet and pillow cases, and Mrs. Emma Rothe won a beautiful pieced quilt and pillow.

Next Tuesday, August 13th, will be the date for D'Hanis' Monthly Trades Day. The business men of D'Hanis offer these trade events to induce people to come to their town to trade. If you have never made D'Hanis your trading point come to the next Trades Day and get acquainted.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koch and Buddy Holiday of Olden are guests in the home of Mrs. Pete Koch.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Currin and ward, Edward Cline, left last Friday for a motor trip of several weeks. They will visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Vinson, of Port Arthur, as well as Mr. Currin's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Currin of Poplar Bluff, Mo., and F. M. Currin of Durant, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Fred Stolte and children of San Antonio are the guests of her mother, Mrs. August Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown and daughters left last week for San Antonio, where they will make their

home. Their sons, William and Alvin, are remaining here at present. Mrs. Fred Steinman and children of Pampa, is here on an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Christina Rudinger.

Mrs. Lizzie Ney is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Stacy of Houston.

Mr. Louis Carle, local merchant, left Tuesday on a business trip to St. Louis, Mo., and other points. He was accompanied to San Antonio by F. J. Carle and Amos Finger.

Mrs. J. W. L. Hanley has returned from a visit with her daughter, Sister M. Amabilis, of San Antonio.

Monsignor F. Maas and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maas left last week with Martin Maas for a visit at Rowena.

Friends of Mrs. Regina Decker will regret to hear of her illness, which has kept her in bed for many weeks. Several of her children from out of town were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Britz and daughter, Marie, have left to make their home in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Britz are occupying the home vacated by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle and Mrs. A. J. Finger spent Monday in San Antonio.

D'HANIS GETS BALE.

The first bale of cotton of the 1935 season was ginned here Wednesday. The cotton was grown on the Paul Reinhardt farm and was ginned by the Louis Carle Gin and Milling Company. The bale weighed 520 pounds.

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Jack Drotcourt, Jr., was out from
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friends.

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ton tires. They satisfy. C. R.
GAINES. 2t.

Judge L. J. Brucks returned Sat-
urday from a business trip to Sher-
man, Texas.

Before buying refrigerators inspect
the NORGE at C. R. GAINES. 2t.

Enough said. 2t.

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Marshall Ney, border patrolman
from Corpus Christi, visited relatives
here and in D'Hanis last week-end.

George Isaac Wilson of Refugio
was here last week-end, visiting his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson.

Reinhart Weber of Utopia spent a
short while in Hondo Monday while
enroute home from a business trip to
Houston.

Buy a cake from Catholic Girls, on
Saturday, August 10, beginning at
3 P. M. at the Jungman Bldg. Prices
reasonable. 2tc.

Cake Sale, Saturday, August 10,
beginning at 3 P. M. at the Jungman
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by Catholic Girls. 2tc.

Mr. and Mrs. August Prohl and
Miss Charlotte Miller of San Antonio
were the week-end guests of Mr. and
Mrs. O. H. Miller.

Miss Marion Brauer of Del Rio,
who is spending the summer in San
Antonio, was the guest of Miss Lucy
Davis last week-end.

Misses Evelyn and Margaret Ann
Knopp have returned from Camp
Kiva on Medina Lake, where they en-
joyed a month's outing.

WHEN IN TOWN CALL
AROUND AND BUY GOOD GRO-
CERIES AT A REASONABLE
PRICE. C. J. BLESS.

Miss LaVerne Umlrich of Hondo
and Miss Grace Wehmer of San
Marcos are visiting their cousin, Miss
Patricia Otis, in Crystal City.

Mrs. Otis Schuehle and brother,
John Russell Crouch, of Corpus
Christi spent several days with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crouch.

Marvin and Rudolph Haass were
business callers at this office Mon-
day evening and announced a dance
for Dunlay tomorrow night. See card
elsewhere.

Mrs. Jack Ullrich and little daugh-
ters, Shirley June and Bonnie Sue,
are visiting Mrs. Zillah Ullrich and
Mr. Charles E. Buss and family of
San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heyen have
moved to the Dominic Riff farm near
New Fountain. Their home in Hondo
will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Gillispie.

Miss Josephine Brucks, who has
been employed in a private school in
Fort Worth, arrived home last week
for a visit with her parents, Judge
and Mrs. L. J. Brucks.

O. P. Ross was down from the Tar-
pley country Tuesday on business. We
were sorry to learn from Mr. Ross
that he is suffering from a persistent
attack of rheumatism.

J. M. Fusselman, who had the mis-
fortune to severely sprain his right
knee some weeks ago, is still pain-
fully crippled but able to get about
with the help of a stick.

Miss Irene Haass, who for the past
several months has been employed by
an abstract firm in Beeville, arrived
home Monday for an extended visit
with her parents, Judge and Mrs. H.
E. Haass.

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DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

District Court convened here for
the regular summer term, Monday,
August 5, 1935.

The following officers of the court
were present:

Hon. Ballard Coldwell, Acting
Judge.

Hon. K. K. Woodley, District At-
torney.

Emil Britsch, District Clerk.

Chas. J. Schuehle, Sheriff.

Mrs. Mabel Knox, Official Court
Stenographer.

The following grand jurors were
sworn in for the term: W. O. Rothe,
Earl Starnes, Eddie Haas, Aug.
Schott, Jr., Adolph H. Ahl, Rudolf
Haby, George T. Briscoe, Arthur N.
Langston, Fabian Garrison, Jim
Heath, Willie Fessler, and Roy C.
Blackburn.

W. O. Rothe was appointed fore-
man and Fred Jagge, Hy. Crutch-
field and Lodge Littleton, bailiffs.

The grand jury completed its la-
bors Wednesday afternoon after hav-
ing returned 8 indictments as fol-
lows:

State vs. Oscar Flores, George
Pompa and Leo Castillo, theft of
over \$50.00.

State vs. same parties, burglary.

State vs. Walter Johnson, burglary.

State vs. James Zavalla and Ed
Zavalla, theft of turkeys.

State vs. Otto King, theft of cat-
tle.

State vs. Kollock Harrison, theft
of cattle.

State vs. W. R. Campbell, theft of
cattle.

State vs. S. Martinez, S. S. Rider
and O. D. Sedwick, burglary.

All above parties are either in jail
or under appearance bond.

Before the Grand Jury was dis-
missed, the following written report
was presented the court:

Hondo, Texas,
August 7th, 1935.

Hon. Ballard Coldwell,
Presiding Judge,

District Court, Medina County, Tex.

The Grand Jury for the August
Term of the District Court of Medina
County, Texas, having finished their
labors, present to the court, their final
report, and ask to be discharged:

We have investigated all felony
matters brought to our attention, and
herewith present indictments found
by us and voted for by at least nine
of our number.

We have examined the Medina
County Jail, and find same to be
maintained in a clean and sanitary
manner.

We respectfully recommend to the
Commissioners' Court of Medina
County that more suitable quarters
be provided for the grand jury and
petit jury at future terms of this
court. We believe that such quarters
might be provided on the third floor
of the courthouse, by division of the
County Judge's quarters with ceiling
and floor.

Respectfully submitted,
W. O. ROTHE, Foreman.

The criminal docket was set for
Monday, August 12th, at 10 o'clock
A. M.

There being no petit jury sum-
moned for the first week, it was agreed
and ordered that thirty persons be
summoned to appear Thursday the
8th of August to serve as jurors in
the case of R. W. Richter and wife
vs. Carl Biebers et al. This case was
being heard before a jury yesterday
evening as we went to press.

John T. Briscoe, Jr., vs. Alexander
Boynott, et al. Dismissed.

E. A. Hallon vs. James Kapp and
Ella Kapp. Continued.

C. G. Harris vs. San Antonio Sub-
urban Irrigated Farms, et al. Re-
straining order on temporary injunc-
tion continued until January term
of court.

Mabel Winters Forester vs. T. Z.
Forester. Dismissed at cost of plain-
tiff.

Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties
Water Improvement District No. 1
vs. Alex Hitzler. Dismissed on
agreement of parties.

Vera Brantley vs. Roy L. Brantley.
Suit for divorce. Divorce granted
and custody of children awarded to
plaintiff.

After the court had spent the
greater part of Wednesday consider-
ing the case of L. W. Burrell, et al.,
vs. H. E. Haass, et al., the Castrovillo
School Bond Election contest case,
the same was recessed until tomor-
row morning.

DIED IN SAN ANTONIO.

Anna B. Huehner of San Antonio
died in the Santa Rosa Hospital Wed-
nesday morning, July 31, 1935, after
a lingering illness. Funeral services
were held under the auspices of the
Catholic Church in San Antonio Fri-
day morning.

Deceased is survived by her moth-
er, Mrs. Fannie Huehner, of San An-
tonio; four sisters, Mrs. John W. Pro-
casky, San Antonio; Mrs. Catherine
Danson, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Hel-
en Gahan, Long Beach, Cal.; and
Mrs. H. C. Rothe, Del Rio.

Miss Huehner grew to young
womanhood in Castrovillo but for
several years has lived in San An-
tonio. This paper joins in sympathy
for those who mourn.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By Edson R. Waite,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

ERWIN HUBER, ADVERTISING DIRECTOR OF THE BALTIMORE
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medium is made up of newspaper readers. Why, then, employ
another and costlier medium to reach an audience which con-
sists only of newspaper readers? The one medium reaches
ALL."

"Unfortunately for the man that spends the money, advertising men
like to play around with various mediums before they have done a com-
plete job in the newspapers.

"When every 'able-to-buy' person in any community is a newspaper
reader it is difficult to understand why other mediums obtain any part
of an advertising appropriation until the medium audience of every
newspaper in a given market has been reached, or rather, sold.

"Every business man in America BELIEVES that 'it pays to advertise'.
Instead he SHOULD KNOW that it pays to advertise only when the
advertising is well done and the medium intelligently selected.

"Selecting the proper medium is a simple matter when the advertiser
understands that 'THE ENTIRE ABLE-TO-BUY AUDIENCE OF
EVERY OTHER ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS MADE UP OF NEWS-
PAPER READERS.'"

The Anvil Herald is Your Proper Medium.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE HONDO FACULTY.

There will be several additions to
the faculty of Hondo High School
this fall. Wedding bells, leave of ab-
sence, etc., have created a number of
vacancies.

Miss Frances Harris will be the
new second grade teacher and Direc-
tor of Public School Music. Miss
Harris' home is in Fort Worth. She
attended C. I. A.

Miss Eddie Connor, a graduate of
Peabody Teachers' College, will teach
the fourth grade.

Miss Olivia Shaw of San Marcos
Teachers' College will teach in the
upper grades.

Mr. W. T. (Bill) Dubose of Gon-
zales will teach History in high school
and coach football. Mr. Dubose is
a graduate in physical education from
Texas University. He lettered
three years in football at Texas and
last year was assistant Freshman
football coach. (Yes, girls, he is
single.)

There will be a number of changes
in the high school curriculum for the
coming year. Vocational agriculture,
home economics, and junior business
training will be added. Freshman
and sophomore history will be com-
bined into a one year course. There
will be no freshman history offered
this year. Sophomore history will be
offered to those who now have credit
for freshman history. Spanish will
be reduced to two years and will be
for the upper grades of high school.
School will open September 9th.

Other new teachers will be an-
nounced as soon as they are definite-
ly known.

FACULTY MEMBERS WED.

Friends here have received the fol-
lowing interesting announcement:
"Mr. and Mrs. Emil L. Adamek an-
nounce the marriage of their daugh-
ter, Della Mary, to Mr. Marion Leon
McDowell, on Sunday, August fourth,
one thousand nine hundred and thirty-
five, Smithville, Texas. At Home,
after September first, Hondo, Tex-
as."

The simple wedding took place at
the home of the bride's parents in
Smithville at 10 o'clock Sunday
morning with Miss Zeda Hatch and
Mr. Jerome Adamek as attendants.
The bride's pastor, Rev. Father
Kieffer, performed the ceremony.
Miss Adamek was lovely in a white
suit with white hat and white acces-
sories. She wore a corsage of white
roses.

In addition to the immediate mem-
bers of the family, the following out-
of-town guests were present: Mr. and
Mrs. L. H. Von Dohlen, Goliad; Mr.
and Mrs. J. G. Barry, Hondo; Mr.
Herman Finger, Hondo; and Miss
Perry Chamberlain, Bastrop.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McDowell for
the past several years have been
members of the faculty of Hondo
High School, Mr. McDowell being the
instructor of mathematics and Mrs.
McDowell the second grade teacher.

After a bridal trip to Dallas and
other Texas cities, Mr. and Mrs. Mc-
Dowell will arrive in Hondo about
August 20th and will reside in an
apartment in the Crouch residence.

Prof. McDowell will resume his
teaching in the local high school.

Their many Hondo friends extend
best wishes for a bright and happy
future.

BROOM CORN SHIPMENTS.

Broom corn shipments took quite a
spurt during the past week, ten more
cars going out since our first report,
making 14 cars in all. Two buyers
are on the ground.

Of the 14 cars, seven went to
Maryland, three to Kansas, two to
Illinois, one to Virginia, and one to
New York. We are not informed as
to the price being paid.

Other shipments for the week were
one car of cattle to Los Angeles, Cal-
ifornia; three cars of maize and one
hegira.

TURNING THE PAGES BACK- WARD.

In searching through the records
preserved in his office recently Coun-
ty Clerk S. A. Jungman discovered a
file of the assessment blanks of Me-
dina County for the year 1865. While
these seventy-year-old blanks show
the effects of much handling, they
are in a good state of preservation
and the printing and writing for the
most part are legible as the day it was
written. They made paper of durable
quality in that day.

Val Volimer was the Assessor and
Collector at that time, the two of-
fices then as now being combined in-
to one. The blanks are signed by
him in a fine delicate penmanship,
with letters formed after the manner
of the old German teaching, as are
many of the other signatures to the
affidavits. Many of these names are
quite familiar today, some of the
men, like Mr. Volimer, Val. Haass,
Joe Decker and others, we knew per-
sonally many years later, but some
have disappeared entirely from Me-
dina County affairs. Others are so
familiar that one has to compare
dates and count years to determine
whether it is the man he knows or a
father or grandfather of the same
name.

Land were cheap then, being as-
sessed for a little better than a dollar
an acre. Town lots in Castrovillo
ranged from \$50.00 up, depending
presumably upon improvements.
Range cattle were assessed at \$5.00
per head and herds were small. This
was an open range country without
wire fences then. Horses were as-
sessed at from \$20.00 to \$25.00 and
work-oxen at around \$15.00 and
\$20.00 each. Nearly every farmer
had from one pair, or yoke, to sev-
eral head.

The largest land-holder and tax-
payer seems to have been G. W. Har-
per. In addition to several thousand
acres of land he assessed 1400 head
of cattle valued at \$7,700.00. He
jumped in 200 goats and 35 sheep
for \$294.00 for the bunch. One
wagon— it must have been a good
one—went in for \$125.00, while the
family carriage, the special pride of
Southern gentlemen of that day, went
in for \$100.00. His work-oxen must
have been good ones as he valued
them at \$20.00 each, 20 head being
assessed at \$400.00.

A unique item in Mr. Harper's as-
sessment is 22 negroes, valued at
\$11,000.00 or \$500.00 each. This
property boosted his valuations up
to \$23,943.00. Ownership was sworn
to on March 29, 1865, just ten days
before Lee's surrender at Appomattox
on April 9th and many months
after Lincoln's emancipation procla-
mation. Mr. Harper at the same time,
as agent for A. L. Harper, assessed
seven negroes at \$4,900.00.

Wm. Redus assessed for himself
one negro at \$900.00 and 500 head of
cattle. As agent for John and George
Redus he assessed seven negroes at
\$280.00 and 1700 head of cattle at
\$8,500.00. This was probably the
largest single herd of cattle in the
county at that time. His assessment
was made on March the 8th.

Other assessments of negroes
noted were 3 for \$2000.00 March 10,
by J. J. Simpson; one by the same
party on the same date as agent for
L. L. Harper, \$900.00; 2 on March
24th, \$1000.00 by W. A. Burrows;
one by S. P. Heath on March 22nd,
for \$600.00; on February 15th one
negro was assessed by L. Boehle for
\$500.00; on February 8th, William
Winans as agent for E. C. Winans as-
sessed 3 for \$1500.00; and last of
all, on May 6th, nearly a month af-
ter Lee's surrender at Appomattox,
several days after Joseph E. John-
son's surrender in North Carolina on
April 26th and near the time of E.
Kirby Smith's surrender of the
Trans-Mississippi Department of the
Southern Confederacy, Joseph Ney,
father of our Ex-Sheriff of the same
name, assessed four negroes for
\$1600.00. Evidently Mr. Ney and
these other slave holders had
not acceded to the validity of Lin-
coln's edict that the constitutional in-
hibition against taking property with-
out due process of law and fair com-
pensation did not apply to negroes.

But force prevailed and this as-
sessment of May 6, 1865, is no doubt
the last rendition for taxes of slave prop-
erty ever made in Medina County if
not in Texas or the entire South.

Many other interesting items could
be culled from this ancient document,
but our space is up.

D'HANIS PIRATES PLAY DOUBLE- HANDER HERE SUNDAY.

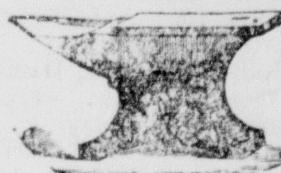
The league leading D'Hanis Pirates
invade Hondo Sunday in the last
meeting of the two teams this season;
which will also be the last home game
of the Bronchos in the Highway 90
League.

The Pirates are out to deal the
Bronchos a misery in their last home
stand, and both games promise to be
thrillers.

Saddler and Tom Koch, former
Pirate hurler will do the chunking for
the Bronchos. Nester will sart for the
visitors.

F. F. A. TO MEET.

The local Chapter of the Future
Farmers of America will meet at 8
P. M., Friday, August 9, at the Hondo
High School. All members and others
interested in vocational agriculture
are urged to attend.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the

MANAGING EDITOR.

THE LOGICAL SEQUENCE.

A thoughtful writer, anent the free
text book amendment to be voted on
in Texas on August 24th, asks this
pertinent question:

"If text books, so needful to edu-
cation, may be supplied to the chil-
dren who attend private and sectarian
schools from state appropriations in
derogation of the spirit and letter of
the State Constitution, is it not logi-
cal to proceed, step by step, to the
supplying of bus transportation,
gymnasium equipments, school teach-
ers, etc., for these children, out of
lump sum appropriations for free
education of all the children of any
of the particular states?"

The answer is an emphatic yes; in
fact, it will not stop there but con-
tinue, one step after another, until
our system of education is completely
revolutionized and socialized.

Instead of seeking to correct one
erroneous step by taking another step
into error, we should retrace our
steps.

This proposed free text book
amendment should be defeated and
the inequalities some would correct
by the amendment should be cured
by repeating as soon as possible the
whole free text-book law.

SHOULD WE WEAKEN THE CONSTITUTION.

Suggestions to change the Consti-
tution, in order to give the Federal
Government powers the Supreme
Court has decided it does not now
possess, should be critically weighed
by the American people.

Whether we realize it or not, it is
the Constitution which protects the
ownership and the sanctity of the
home. It is the Constitution which
safeguards the independence and
rights of the worker. It is the Consti-
tution which maintains the sanctity
of contract. And, finally, it is the
Constitution which guarantees and
supports the rights, the liberties and
the privileges for which the fore-
fathers of one nation fought when
they changed America from a foreign-
dominated colony to a free nation
dedicated to the proposition that all
men are created equal.

Those who would change the Con-
stitution would do so on the supposi-
tion that it is out of date—that it is
no longer capable of meeting the
problems, the conditions, the issues
of the times. If that is true, human
liberty is out of date. Individual
freedom is out of date. Democratic
government—which has as its guid-
ing principle that the people are the
masters, not the servants of govern-
ment—is out of date. Private initia-
tive and individual ambition are out
of date.

Every time we tamper with the
Constitution we weaken it. Under the
existing Constitution, a delicate bal-
ance of power is maintained between
the central government and the 48
state governments. The Federal Gov-
ernment is enabled to do that which
individual states could not efficiently
do—while the states are left free to
make laws, rulings, regulations and
policies that are in accord with the
beliefs and needs of their people.

If we broaden the powers of the
Federal Government we shall simply
be giving bureaucracy a greater free
and unchecked field for action—at
the expense of the states, of industry,
of workers, of every citizen.—Indus-
trial News Review.

BACKBONE OF TRANSPORTA- TION.

In spite of all claims to the con-
trary, the railroads remain the back-
bone of the nation's transportation
system.

Other carriers may supplement the
rails and perform a valuable service.
But it is a limited service.

Trucks can handle but a fraction
of the nation's freight, and almost
none of its heavy, transcontinental
freight—wheat, machinery, etc.

Buses can provide inexpensive and
excellent short-haul passenger ser-
vice—but the vast bulk of travelers
still go by rail when embarking on a
lengthy journey.

There are definite limits to the
airplane—its high cost, its relatively
sparse coverage of the nation, its
inability to handle freight.

The waterways are limited by
geography and by seasons. In addi-
tion, they have proven to be constant
money losers, and can only be kept
in operation by vast governmental
subsidies.

LACOSTE LEDGERETTES.

The LaCoste Ledger.
E. W. Etter from near Devine LaCoste visitor last Saturday.
E. W. Etter from the Sauz was a visitor here Monday.
Max Mechler from the Sauz was a business visitor here Tuesday.
Mrs. Lena Geiger and brother, Walter, were San Antonio visitors Wednesday afternoon.
E. W. Keller and sons, Daniel and Raymond, from the Sauz, were business visitors here Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stein and Mrs. Elsie Koenig were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart from Noonan were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.
Messrs. James Biediger and Walter Geiger made a business trip to Laredo Monday morning.
Joseph L. Tondre from Castroville was a business visitor here last Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scharsch from Castroville were LaCoste visitors last Friday.
Miss Elizabeth Bippert and brother, Paul, from our north side were visitors here last Saturday.
Mrs. W. A. Parker and children from Delta were visitors here last Friday.
Ralph Tschirhart from Castroville was a business visitor here Wednesday.
John Trageser and grandson from Castroville were visitors here Wednesday evening.
Chas. Loessberg and son, Arno, from Delta were business visitors here Monday.
E. W. Etter from Eagle Pass is spending his vacation with his brother and sisters here this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Val Mangold from Noonan were visitors here Wednesday.
Arthur Biediger of San Antonio visited homefolks here Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf of San Antonio spent Sunday with relatives here.
Adolph Ihnen from Pearson was a LaCoste business visitor Wednesday.
Dr. M. S. Derankou from Hondo was a business visitor here Wednesday.
Mrs. C. F. Krause and daughter, Mrs. E. H. Parsons, from Atascosa were visitors here Wednesday.
The Editor is in receipt of a card from Mr. and Mrs. Ed. J. Bendele and Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Schott and family from Devine, who are spending the present week vacationing at Corpus Christi.
Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mangold and family from Medina Lake were visitors here and at Natalia Wednesday.
Mrs. Paul Flathouse and daughter, Mrs. Caroline, from above Riomedina were the guests of friends at Macdonna Wednesday.
Mesdames F. J. Zerr and Ed. J. Trip and daughter, Miss Julia, from Macdonna were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.
Miss Martha Ahr returned home after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. J. I. Powell, and friends in San Antonio.
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Nickell and son, Bobby, Jr., of Spofford spent a few happy days with homefolks here this past week.
After spending the past week with homefolks here, Miss Cornelia Biediger and Johnnie Rihn returned to their home in San Antonio Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rihn and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hacker and baby were the guests of Henry Biediger here Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schmidt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Filleman on the North Loop in San Antonio Monday and of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt Monday evening, returning home Tuesday.
Mrs. W. J. Jungman, who had been ill for several weeks, was taken to the Santa Rosa Infirmary last Friday night for treatment. At this writing she had been on the road to recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merian and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Ahr from South San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hitzfelder and family and August Merian at Devine Sunday.
Miss Ellen Hawkes of Flatonia was a pleasant visitor with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes, and Mrs. A. H. Ahr here the past week. From here she went to Ramsey and Eagle Lake to visit relatives there.
John L. Zuercher and his force of

carpenters are tearing down the LaCoste Gin Co. building here this week for Mr. H. W. Keller of the Sauz, who recently purchased it. Mr. Keller will use the lumber for erecting barns at his farm.
Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Zapata, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gunn and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Weber and daughter of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ahr from here spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Kunze and family here.
Herman Hitzfelder, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hitzfelder, was struck by lightning while stacking hay Monday of this week. The stroke knocked him unconscious for a while, but he is all right again now, only that all his limbs feel tired or sore.

LIQUOR AND MAN.
I had 12 bottles of whiskey in my cellar and the missus made me empty the contents of each and every bottle down the sink, so after several hours of vain argument and domestic strife, I proceeded to do as she desired. I withdrew the cork from the first bottle and poured the contents down the sink with the exception of one glass, which I drank. I then withdrew the cork from the second bottle and the same likewise, with the exception of one glass which I drank. I extracted the cork from the third sink and poured the bottle down the glass when I drank some. I pulled the bottle from the cork of the next and drank one sink of it and then pulled the sink out of the next cork and poured the cork down the drink, all but the sink, which I drank. I pulled the next cork from my neck and poured the sink down the bottle and drank the cork.
When I had them all emptied I steadied the house with one hand and counted the bottles which were 24. As the house came around I also counted them again and had 74. Finally I had the houses and the bottles counted, so I proceeded to wash the bottles, but I couldn't get the brush in the bottles, so I turned them inside out and washed them and wiped them all and went upstairs to tell my wife all about what I did. And I've got the wisest little niece in the world.—Alpine Avalanche.
And that's what's liable to happen every time any one refuses to let well enough alone.

ADIEU.
You left me with a gallant smile.
I saw the trembling lips:
I heard your stifled sob that night
As I touched your finger tips.
I could not let you know I cared
Because we had to part:
And so I only kissed your cheek
To hide a broken heart.
All day I held my head quite high
And wore a clown's gay mask:
You could not know how my heart
cried
As I fulfilled each task.
But when you left and all was still:
The robin's mournful song
Brought tears to throbbing eyes, to think
You'd be away so long
—AUDREY ETHEL CHENEY.

A POST OFFICE ROMANCE.
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Love, Va.
Kissimee, Fla.
Ring, Ark.
Parson, Ky.
Reno, Nev.
—THE PATHFINDER.

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DEVINE NEWSLET

From The Devine News.
MRS. MARY KEMPF.
Mrs. Mary Kempf, 53 years, 5 months and 25 days, died at her home in north Devine, Sunday afternoon, after a long and weary illness, in which she spent time in the hospital and everything possible was done for her relief to no avail. She was the widow of Edward Kempf, who died in June, 1913; since which she has lived in widowhood, rearing their only son, Edward Kempf, Jr., who is her only immediate survivor. She has some distant relatives near Hondo, but leaves no brothers or sisters, our report says. She was a devoted Catholic and the funeral services were conducted early Monday from St. Joseph church, Rev. L. Schiel, her pastor in charge, conducting requiem high mass service; after which a large concourse of friends followed the remains to St. Joseph cemetery, where her remains were interred beside those of the late husband.

FROM YANCEY.
A new coat of paint is being applied on the Adventist church building, which is changing its appearance very much. Mr. Chastaine of San Antonio is doing the work, being assisted by Mr. Zender.
Mrs. G. W. Jones of San Antonio was here Sunday and delivered a sermon at the eleven o'clock hour to a good sized audience. She spoke in behalf of the question that is confronting the voters on August 24th.
Misses Florine Weekley and Ellen Wilson returned from Uvalde last Saturday, after spending a pleasant week at Camp Fawcett.
Mr. J. G. Weekley, Glen Faseler and Coy Berry left Monday morning for Pearsall and will be gone for the greater part of the week.
Miss Doris Moffield is visiting relatives in San Antonio.
Robert and Reuben Faseler of Poetee are visiting their kindred and friends here.
Mrs. Clara Neal of El Paso is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Nixon.
Miss Evelyn Wiemers of Pearsall is spending her vacation with homefolks.
Mesdames McCaughan, Wilson and Muennink returned from Smiley last week Wednesday.
Mr. Dan McCrea returned from a prospecting trip Sunday. He is looking through the country about the next pecan crop. Mr. McCrea has put the pecan shelling plant in good shape, which means employment to a good many people.
We had a good rain last week, doing lots of good to fields, although a large per cent of the broom corn remains unharvested. The shellers are running daily.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCrea went to San Antonio on business Monday.
Rev. Banks, J. G. Weekley and George Heiligman made a trip to San Antonio Saturday.
Rev. Johnson of San Antonio came out Sunday evening and preached a sermon for the Adventist congregation.
A Mexican child died on the Eschenberg farm last Friday and was interred late that evening in the local cemetery.
Mr. and Mrs. Boggins of Uvalde were visitors at the home of Mr. Willie Faseler.

FROM BIRY.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and baby of San Antonio spent Sunday with Jack Biry and Sam and Fred.
Miss Emma Senne of Brackettville

spent two days with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Senne.
Ralph Bader of Karnes City and Clyde Bader of Castroville spent Thursday with Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bader.
Mr. and Mrs. Henson spent Monday in San Antonio.
Miss Alma Bader spent the week with her sister, Lucille, at Brackettville.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biry and children of D'Hanis spent the week-end with relatives.
Ed. Bader and son, Alvin, and A. O. Biediger spent Thursday in Devine.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Biry spent one day with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biry.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tilley, a daughter, their first. Mother and daughter reported doing nicely.
NOTHING OF THE KIND.
"Is your wife a club woman, Gilligan?"
"Club woman? Not she. She favors a flatiron."
Clothing Salesman—Here's a nice feature in this suit—a change pocket provided with a patent snap to prevent losses.
Customer—Haven't you one with a combination lock? Snaps mean nothing to my wife.

COUNTERPART.
One looks not long on field or hill
Without a yearning in the heart
For someone else to share the still
And quiet beauty they impart.
Another's presence always clings
To everything that we admire,
Another's being always sings
Within the hearts it may aspire.
Affection soothes this whole world
through
With song of loveliness and mirth
And tenderness is born anew
In all four corners of the earth.
—WALTER S. KEITH in
June KALEIDOGRAPH.

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The most finely balanced low-priced car ever built

CHEVROLET Get all of these vitally important features when you buy your new motor car. You can get them at lowest prices in the new Master De Luxe Chevrolet—the most finely balanced low-priced car ever built! The Master De Luxe Chevrolet is the only car in its price range that brings you a Solid Steel Turret-Top Body by Fisher . . . Knee-Action Ride . . .

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How Modern Women Lose Pounds of Fat Swiftly---Safely
Gain Physical Vigor—Youthfulness with Clear Skin and Vivacious Eyes What Sparkle with Glorious Health
Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.
Every morning take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—in 4 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.
Notice also that you have gained energy—your skin is clearer—your eyes sparkle with glorious health—you feel younger in body—keener in mind. Kruschen will give any fat person a joyous surprise.
Get a bottle of Kruschen Salts—the cost is trifling—it lasts 4 weeks. But be sure for your health's sake that you ask for and get Kruschen Salts. Get them at W. H. WINSTON'S or any drugstore in the world.

What is the yardstick for a cigarette...

Take mildness for one thing—how does it measure up for mildness?
Chesterfields are *milder*—not flat or insipid, of course, but with a pleasing flavor.
Then take taste for another thing—does it have *plenty* of taste?
Chesterfields taste *better*—not strong but just right.
In other words, They Satisfy—
that's my yardstick for a cigarette.

Chesterfield... the cigarette that's MILDER
Chesterfield... the cigarette that TASTES BETTER

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MAKING COUNTRY HOMES SAY WELCOME.

"The foolish man sees happiness at a distance; but the wise man grows it under his feet."

A traveler invariably notices an attractive country home. Flowers and shrubs add so much to the beauty of a country home that it will almost say "Welcome".

Many types of home beautification cost little and are very effective. These winter months are the proper time for setting out shrubs and trees. Many native shrubs and vines furnish local color and are easily and inexpensively secured. Wild flowers of various types are easily cultivated.

Houses underpinned with native stone are undeniably lovely. The yard fence should be straight. The gate will swing properly. A large open lawn with a few specimen plants is a beautiful thing. The house should be framed protectingly by tall trees of an even height just behind it. Short, thick trees at the side of a house draw attention to the lawn. Informal grouping of trees is always preferable. Tall slender shrubs between windows and around under the windows are pleasing. Vines give a cool shady air to a home on a hot, sultry summer day. An arbor is an asset to the beauty of any home. Paved walks should be avoided, stepping stones more attractive.

Above all plan the landscape so that there is unity. A home with a beautiful landscape is a thing of joy forever. It is really surprising how much a sprinkling of phlox or petunias will improve a farm home.

Someone said that everything began with the farm. How nice it would be if we could give everything a beautiful beginning.

WELL TRAINED.

The guard had stopped on the line and the ward was tired of answering stupid questions.

"What's the matter, guard?" came yet another query.

"The signalman up there has got red hair," replied the guard, "and we can't get the engine to pass the box."

—Tatler.

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NAME O'HOWLS

M. T. SCHAACK (Empty Shack) lives at Bee Grove, Ind.

M. T. HERRING sells fish at his market in Lakeland, Fla.

Kenneth SENIOR is a senior at a Pennsylvania college.

Stanley BUTCHER operates a barber shop at Ashley, Pa.

MAY JUNE APRILL lives in Snohomish, Wash.

Two families named LOVETT and Kissett are neighbors near Kimball, S. Dak.

J. B. NIGHTINGALE sells Singer sewing machines at Cleveland, Ohio.

The FRY brothers operate a restaurant at Carlock, Ill.

Elsie COONS used to be housekeeper for Thomas PEARE at Houskeeping, Ill., but now Mrs. COOK is his cook.

L. STOUTHAMMER is a mechanic in a garage in Keping, Ill.

Guy NEWHOUSE of Lolo, Mont., is a carpenter and builder.

I. STEAMER is in the dry cleaning and pressing business at Deposit, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. CRYER, of Washington, D. C., have been married for 50 years but neither of them are shedding tears over it.

The cashier of a little bank in Texas is D. D. PREACHER, the bookkeeper's name is ANGEL and on the board of directors is a LORD.

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—THE PATHFINDER.

AN OLD STORY.

Strange that I did not know him then,
That friend of mine!

I did not even show him then
One friendly sign;

But cursed him for the ways he had
To make me see

My envy of the praise he had
For praising me.

I would have rid the earth of him
Once, in my pride! . . .

I never knew the worth of him
Until he died.

—Edwin Robinson.

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POEMS THAT LIVE.

FRIENDSHIP.

By Phoebe Cary.

No soul can ever truly see
Another's highest, noblest part
Save through the sweet philosophy
And loving wisdom of the heart.

I see the feet that fain would climb;
You, but the steps that turn astray.
I see the soul, unharmed, sublime;
You, but the garment and the clay.

—EPILOGUE.

Render an honest and a perfect man,
Commands all light, all influence,
all fate;

Nothing to him falls early or too late.
Our acts our angels are, or good or ill,

Our fatal shadows that walk by us
still."

THAT WHICH IS TO COME.

By Lowell.

We see but half the causes of our
deeds,

Seeking them wholly in the outer life,
And heedless of the encircling spirit
world,

Which, though unseen, is felt, and
sows in us

All germs of pure and world-wide
purpose.

CHARTERLESS

I never saw a moor,
I never saw the sea;

Yet now I know the heather
looks,

And what a wave must be.

I never spoke with God,
Nor visited in Heaven;

Yet certain am I of the spot
As if the chart were given.

—Emily Dickenson.

FROM BYRON.

In men whom men condemn as ill
I find so much of goodness still,

In men whom men pronounce divine
I find so much of sin and blot,

I do not dare to draw a line
Between the two, where God has
not.

—Joaquin Miller.

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Comfort, pleasure, and safety on a tour depend largely on efficient loading of the luggage, and modern body designs have done much to ease the problem, as these views of Chevrolet models reveal. In the upper left view, the suitcases have been fitted in snugly, the adjustable front seat having been moved forward to allow extra leeway, and the driver is now pushing back the seat to clamp the bags in place for the day. Upper right, the tourist is utilizing the baggage space back of the rear seat. The two lower pictures show the loading of a coupe compartment and a sedan trunk.

PREPAREDNESS.

For all your days prepare,

And meet them ever alike:
When you are the anvil, bear—

When you are the hammer, strike.
—Edwin Markham.

A JUST VERDICT.

"My lord," said the foreman of an
Irish jury seriously, as he gave the
verdict, "we find that the man who
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NEIGHBORLY TACT.

"Mrs. Brown," cried Mr. Smith to

his neighbor, "have you spoken to
your boy about mimicking me?"

"Yes, I have," replied Mrs. Brown.
"I've told him not to act like a fool."

Montreal Star.

"Do you own the house you live

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"I used to."

"What do you mean—'used to'?"

"Did you sell it?"

"No, I got married."

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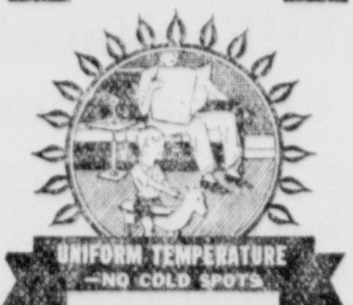
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10c Palmolive Soap, 6 for	29c
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COTTON PRODUCTION INCOME.

Cotton income in Medina County was more than double in 1934 what it was in 1932, and almost equal to that of 1935, a very favorable year, it is announced by C. M. Merritt, county agent, on the basis of complete official three-year county cotton figures just received from the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Medina County farmers received for their cotton last year \$82,295.32 compared to \$32,124.09 in 1932 and \$101,333.93 in 1933. The farm value of lint and seed last year was almost \$40,000 more than it was in 1932, and added to this were \$10,832.09 in benefit payments.

Values are based upon yields and prices as furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture. The benefit payments include all those to April 30, 1935.

The value of unsold Bankhead certificates held by farmers is not included in the amount of benefit payments. Texas farmers have about nine million dollars' worth of these certificates on hand, according to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Commenting on this huge increase in Medina County farmers' cotton income from 1932 to the present, Mr. Merritt points out that there was more than sixty thousand dollars of cotton money in circulation in the county the last twelve months than two years ago. This increased farm income has been the means of helping farmers stay in business, maintain their farms and homes, and remain customers of merchants he says.

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Miss Geraldine Schuehle is recovering from a tonsillotomy on August 7 at the Medina Hospital.

DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST, OF FICE AT RESIDENCE (1 block E. of courthouse). PHONE 39.

The young people enjoyed a dance at the Fair Grounds hall last Saturday night. The dance was given under the auspices of the Booster Club.

Mr. Arthur Reinhart of Del Rio arrived Monday night and was accompanied home Tuesday morning by Mrs. Reinhart, who for the past week or more has been recuperating from a recent operation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Richard Reily.



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QUIHI NOTES.

But my covenant will I establish with Isaac. Gen. 17:21.

"Gimme much or gimme more, only gimme." The government has heard much of this melody of late. And the flood-gates were opened wide, and there is trouble ahead for the party daring to close them. And the same melody is dinning the ears of the Lord from every nook of the globe. Hundreds of petitions to one voice of praise and thanksgiving. He cannot overdo that "gimme" for most of us. Millions remember Him for that "gimme" game only. But few are satisfied with His "hand-outs" and it's a surprise in heaven when one cries out, Enough; and perhaps a shock when a solitary cry goes up, Lord, it's too much! Abraham was one of those exceptional cases. He does not ask for a particular miracle in his favor—a son in his old age. He would be fully satisfied with less, with the continued life and future history, whatever it amounts to, of Ishmael, the son of a slave mother, and forego the glory of legitimate offspring and the blessing it was to convey to all the world. The Lord cuts off this false modesty with the words of our text. He selects His own types for His history and brooks no interference. Sometimes He almost forces His benefactions upon man. There are rare instances where the Lord commands, Open thy mouth WIDE and I will fill it. (Ps. 81:10), but they are not made by that "gimme" spirit.

At this immensely busy time of the year, we were glad to have at least 16 members and a half dozen guests at our last Ladies' Aid meet. It was an hour of devotion, encouragement and pleasurable convocation. From various sources came in the expressions of thanks for kindnesses received of late. The newly purchased pulpit Bible was carefully looked over and found satisfactory. The gift is highly appreciated by pastor and congregation. The guiding hand of God was pointed out in a "War Episode" read at this occasion. And the assembly was well taken care of by the hostesses, the Mesdames C. W. Grell, Otto Neuman and Geo. Balzen. Thanks.

Those pastoral visits were somewhat restricted by bad crossings, impassable roads of late, and especially due to the fact that other duties engaged the time and attention of the parishioners, the pressing field work in the first instance, and we thought it almost an interference to impose our visit on them. We'll make up for it. Several are living a long distance from the parsonage and the visits there are somewhat few and far between. But they are not entirely forgotten. So we ventured up into the mountains recently and saw the Alb. Eckhart family. We enjoyed first class hospitality, also the wonderful scenery and the green pastures and heavy crops. Getting stalled in the water and going down a kind of stair-case on a detour strip, well, that's another chapter. The trip was not marred by the lack of tarviated roads. We've enjoyed it.

Announcements for August the 11th: English service at 10; Sunday school and Bible classes at 9; evening service at 8. Let no other duties keep you from these services. "He is thy Lord, and worship thou him." Ps. 45:11.

Herman Finger left last Saturday for Bastron and on Sunday attended the McDowell-Adamcik nuptials at Smithville. He was accompanied from San Antonio by Mr. M. L. McDowell.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rothe and Alice Reinhart attended the funeral of Miss Annie Huehner in San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar de Montel and Charles de Montel of Castrovilla were guests of Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass Wednesday.

Miss Carolyn Dunderstadt, who underwent an appendectomy on August 1st, was able to leave Medina Hospital yesterday for her home near Yancey.

FOR McCORMICK-DEERING FARMALL TRACTORS AND PARTS, CALL MILLER SERVICE STATION, PHONE 129, HONDO, TEXAS. 4tc.

Mrs. A. M. Foster of Refugio arrived Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Roy Pfeil. Mrs. Foster will be remembered as formerly Miss Rosie Neuman of Hondo.

Mr. Thomas Specht of New Braunfels is here checking in as local manager for the Southern Gas Utilities, Inc. Mr. Specht has been connected with the company at New Braunfels.

Albert Bendele and Clarence Haby of Riomedina were in Hondo Monday. They were boosting a rodeo and race meet for Sunday, August 11th, at Burrell's race track on the upper Medina.

Mr. Will James of the Green Tag Store is back from a pleasure trip through parts of East Texas and Western Louisiana. During his trip he visited some of the big oil fields of that section.

Miss Josephine Brucks of Ft. Worth and her sisters, Misses Anna Leah and Genevieve Brucks, left Wednesday morning for a several days' visit with friends in Houston and Galveston.

Owing to the continued illness of Judge Lee Wallace of Kerrville, Judge Ballard Coldwell of the El Paso District is here and presiding in his stead over the summer term of the District Court.

Miss Mildred Schmidt of Sander-son, who has been recuperating at the Medina Hospital from a major operation performed several weeks ago, left last week for Devine where she will complete her convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Schweers were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Schweers had as their guests Sunday their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schweers, and the latter's sister, Mrs. H. Aroe, all of Houston.

The hearing in district court here Wednesday of the Castrovilla school bond election contest case brought a large number of Castrovilla people to Hondo. After devoting the greater part of the day to a re-count of the ballots, the case was recessed until Saturday morning.

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Joe Wilson, who managed the Pet-mecky chick hatchery here so successfully last spring, is back and arranging to start up for the fall season. Mr. Wilson reports orders already booked for several hundred chicks and is looking forward to a successful fall business. See his card elsewhere.

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Next Sunday morning the pastor will bring a most special message dealing with the subject, "Was National Prohibition a Failure? And Why we as Texans Should Vote Against the Repeal of the 18th Amendment", using the text found in the book of Romans, the 15th chapter and the 11th verse: "And that knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep." It seems that ever since the 18th amendment was passed that the greater majority of the supporters of the amendment felt that the matter was forever and eternally settled, and that there was no need for any further efforts on the part of the prohibitionists; in fact, one of our great church leaders made the remark, saying: "There was no more chance for the 18th amendment to be repealed than there was for a humming bird to fly to heaven with the Rock of Gibraltar tied to its tail." Had our great leader known what was then in the minds of the great enemies of the cause of prohibition, he might have said: "There would be no chance for the amendment to be repealed, if the supporters of the amendment would keep their eyes open and stay on the job." But alas, the Bible says, "while we slept, the enemy sowed tares", so now, if we ever expect to keep the open saloon out of our great State, it is high time for us to awake out of our sleep, and go to the poles on the 24th and VOTE; EXPRESS YOUR CONVICTIONS, AND VOTE AGAINST THE REPEAL. Let not the saloon come back to the Lone Star State, because of your indifference to the great cause. "And that knowing the times, it is high time that we were awake out of our sleep."

We were all delighted with the fine gathering at the Baptist Church last Sunday evening. The Methodist pastor preached from the subject, "Has Jesus come back to earth again, or is He yet to come?" We were greeted with the largest attendance last Sunday evening that we have had so far this summer, during our Union Services. The service for this coming Sunday evening will be held at the Methodist Church, with the Baptist pastor, Rev. Merrill bringing the message. Let's all give him a good crowd. What do you say?

Some months ago the Board of Stewards, with the pastor, set the date for their Revival Meeting, to begin the 2nd Sunday in August. Following the meeting of the Board, the pastor went away to hold a revival meeting; upon his return, he found that the town had organized a Soft Ball League, and that plans had been made to play two or three evenings out of each week, throughout the summer, and continuing into September; so rather than have a conflict between the League and the Church, the pastor called a meeting of his Board of Stewards, and a committee was appointed to meet with the Directors of the League. The meeting was held Wednesday afternoon of this week, at which time satisfactory arrangements were made. It was agreed by both committees for the League to play one game each night for four nights a week during the revival meeting, beginning at 7 P. M. and quitting at 8:15 P. M.; then following the revival, the League would carry on its regular program. We wish to express our most hearty appreciation for the fine spirit of co-operation that was manifested by the sponsors of the baseball league with the committee from the church. Therefore, we wish to announce that our Revival Meeting will begin the third Sunday morning of August, and not the second Sunday as had been planned. The Revival will be held in the open air; the definite location will be announced next week. Your most hearty cooperation is desired.

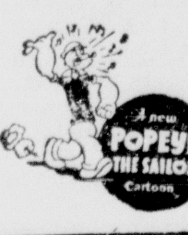
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merriman and daughter, Betty Jean, have been spending the past week in Corpus Christi with Mr. Merriman's uncle, Mr. Eli T. Merriman.



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L. A. Saathoff was a business caller at this office Wednesday.
Mrs. Ellen Beitel of San Antonio is the guest of Mrs. August Schroeder this week.
Lost, six Spanish Nannies, FINDER please notify JOHN H. WIEMERS, Hondo, Texas.
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An 8 1-2 pound boy was born August 6, 1935, at the Medina Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Neuman.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroeder of San Antonio were the week-end guests of Judge and Mrs. Ed de Mont.
Born, August 2 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lutz of D'Hanis, a 5 1-2 pound girl, at the Medina Hospital.
Master Bobby Nester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Nester, had his tonsils removed on July 31st at Medina Hospital.
Mr. Ernest Bendele was a business caller at this office yesterday, bringing some nice young roastingears for the editor's family to eat.
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Batot left for Austin Tuesday, after a few days visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot and Mrs. Sadie Hutzler.
Mr. J. B. Owen of Biry was operated for appendicitis on August 2nd at the Medina Hospital here and is reported satisfactorily recuperating.
Mr. and Mrs. Nuel Windrow returned to their home in Laredo Saturday, after a week's visit with relatives here. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Elizabeth Meyer, who will visit with them for a week or more.
Mr. C. W. Gilliam went to Marlin last week, and was accompanied home by Mrs. Gilliam who had spent several weeks there under medical treatment. Mrs. Gilliam's friends will be glad to know that her health is greatly improved.
Geo. H. Kimmey, who has been on the indisposed list for some time, underwent a serious operation at the Santa Rosa Infirmary Saturday of last week. He was progressing so satisfactorily that he was returned home Wednesday. He made the trip without any ill effects and his friends hope to see him soon restored to his normal health.
Mr. P. Jungman is in receipt of an invitation to be the guest of the 36th Division National Guards at their summer encampment at Camp Helen on August 16th. The Division Commander, Major-General John A. Hulen, will retire on September 9th and as this will be the last time he will have charge of the encampment it is expected that his friends will make it as memorable as possible in his honor.

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H-H Hot Shots	2	2	.500
Grell's Comedians	1	3	.250
Red & White Specials	1	3	.250

Girls Teams

Palle's Pullets	2	0	.100
Fly's Swatters	0	2	.000

Last Thursday Night's Results.

In the first game last Thursday night the H-H Hot Shots lived up to their name by turning back the Leinweber Lions 13 to 4. The Hot Shot's infield showed great improvement over their previous games, with the addition and re-arrangement of several players. The Hot Shots collected 16 hits to 9 by the Lions.

In the second game Palle's Pullets rang up their second successive victory over Fly's Swatters by the score of 15 to 6.

Batteries: Jo Reilly pitching and Ginger Fusselman catching for the Pullets. Cameron pitching and Garber catching for the Swatters.

Wednesday night results, Aug. 7th.

In the first game the H-H Hot Shots swamped Grell's Comedians by the one-sided score of 26 to 3. The Hot Shots got 23 hits off Wenmohs and Oefinger. Bradley allowed the Comedians 7 hits.

Tony Taylor with 4 hits out of 5 and J. H. Rothe, with two doubles and a home run were the leading hitters for the winners.

In the second game the Plaza Cafe team defeated the Red & White Specials 15 to 5. The Rustlers garnered 16 hits to the Specials 11.

Batteries: Lamb and Taylor for the Rustlers. Hollmig and Fusselman for the Specials.

SOFTBALL STATISTICS.
Including Games through Aug. 7th.

LEADING HITTERS.
At bat 8 times or more.

Player	Pct.
John Finger	.929
M. Grell	.643
Preston Gaines	.636
Roy Schweers	.636
J. H. Rothe	.625
Jerome Finger	.625
Al Hollmig	.600
Rudy Rath	.600
Roy Grant	.545
H. Lamb	.533
B. Schweers	.533
Tony Taylor	.533
J. Fusselman	.533
Toby Taylor	.529
Aug. Zerr	.529
Bob Zerr	.500
Homer Rothe	.500
"Boss" Finger	.500
Ben Oefinger, Jr.	.500
Horace Schweers	.500

Home-Run Leaders.

J. H. Rothe	4
Roy Schweers	3
John Finger	2
Preston Gaines	2
Al Hollmig	2
Harry Mueller	2
Alfred Breiten	1
Robert Reynolds	1
Tony Taylor	1
Bob Zerr	1
Horace Schweers	1
Rudy Rath	1
B. Schweers	1
Hartman	1

Those scoring 8 runs or more:

Lamb	12
Hartman	11
John Finger	10
Tony Taylor	9
Al Hollmig	9
Buss	9
Toby Taylor	8
J. H. Rothe	8
A. Finger	8
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Saddler, ace moundsman for the All-Stars pitched a great game, allowing but four hits and striking out eleven batters; but errors robbed him of a victory.

Led by John Finger, walloping outfielder, who had a perfect night at bat with 3 singles a double and walk out of 5 trips to the plate, the locals collected eleven hits off the visiting pitcher.

Batteries: Saddler, Grant and Neuman for Hondo. Acree and Patterson for San Antonio.

Umpires: Meyer and Taylor; scorer, Joe Wilson.

All-Stars 001 002 000—3
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BROTHER DIES SUDDENLY.

Friends of Mrs. Carrie Wood Cameron of Hondo were grieved to hear of the sudden death Tuesday night, July 30, 1935, of her brother, Edward G. Wood, of San Antonio. Mr. Wood was 45 years of age. He was born in Dallas and moved to San Antonio 13 years ago. He was at the time of his death president of the Alamo Abstract and Title Guaranty Co., as well as of the Hydro Gas Co.

The funeral took place Friday morning at 10 o'clock, August 2, from the residence, 115 Main Drive East, and at 10:30 from St. Ann's Catholic church. Burial was made in San Fernando Cemetery No. 2.

Besides Mrs. Cameron, Mr. Wood is survived by his wife and one daughter, Patricia; his mother, Mrs. Emma S. Wood, who was on a visit to Kentucky at the time; and two brothers, Charles O., of Lexington, Ky., and Robert B., of Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Cameron's friends extend their heartfelt sympathy to her and members of the family in their sorrow.

HUTZLER RITES IN CASTROVILLE MONDAY.

Funeral services for Lorenz Hutzler, 58, 1815 Buena Vista street, San Antonio, pioneer Castroville resident, who died Sunday, August 4, 1935, were held from the St. Louis Catholic Church in Castroville Monday morning, the Rev. Father Joseph Jacobi and the Rev. Father Lenzen officiating. Survivors are several daughters, Mrs. Albert Decker, Mrs. Fred Mittlemaier, Mrs. August Britz and Miss Rose Hutzler, San Antonio; sons, Alex J. Hutzler, Martin J. Hutzler and Henry J. Hutzler, San Antonio; nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Interment was made in Castroville.

TRADES DAY TO BE HELD HERE WEDNESDAY.

Wednesday, August 14th, will be regular monthly Trades Day in Hondo. Farmers and ranchmen and their womenfolk will mingle with the local people to make the usual interested crowd during the event, which will be held at 3 P. M. on College Square. Before and after the Trades Day observance, the visitors are invited to trade with the merchants who make the event possible. See their announcement elsewhere in this paper.

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Last Sunday's Results.
D'Hanis 3, Sabinal 2.
Hondo forfeited to LaCoste.

Games Next Sunday.
D'Hanis at Hondo (double header).
LaCoste at Knippa.

D'HANIS WINS IN 11 INNINGS.

Fighting desperately for the top position in the hectic Highway 90 League race, being closely pressed by Knippa and Sabinal, the D'Hanis Pirates, playing before the annual home-coming crowd Sunday at D'Hanis, were forced to go 11 innings before they could down the equally hard fighting and scrappy Hustlers from Sabinal.

As the game went into extra innings, nothing happened until the eleventh, when Sabinal pushed over a run, but the Pirates came back in their half with two.

The first run of the game was scored by Sabinal in the second inning. Owens led off with a long three-base knock to left and scored on Mason's hit to right.

The Pirates tied it up in the seventh, when Jim Finger took second on Mason's overthrow of first. He advanced to third on an infield out and scored when A. Koch struck out, when the catcher dropped the third strike and had to make a throw to first.

Nester retired in the tenth as he had worked 15 innings on his last appearance on the mound. He was succeeded by T. Finger, a southpaw, who walked W. Butler to start the eleventh. He retired McNair on a pop fly, but Thornberry doubled to left, scoring Butler.

In the D'Hanis half, Ed Finger was called out on strikes, Joe Finger was hit by a pitched ball, T. Finger walked, M. Koch lined out to center for the second out. Jim Finger then took matters into his own hands and drove a terrific line drive into left center good for three bases.

SABINAL— AB. R. H. O. A. E.

W. Butler, 2b	4	1	0	1	5	0
McNair, ss	5	0	1	4	5	0
Thornberry, p	5	0	2	0	1	0
T. Arnm, lf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Owens, 1b	4	1	2	12	0	0
Mason, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	1
Sinclair, rf-c	3	0	0	2	1	0
R. Butler, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
C. Arnm, c	3	0	0	10	2	0
Worden, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 37 2 7 32 15 1
Two out when winning run scored.

D'HANIS—

Joe Finger, lf	3	1	1	4	1	0
T. Finger, cf-p	4	1	0	5	0	0
M. Koch, ss	5	0	0	3	4	1
Jim Finger, 1b	5	1	2	11	0	0
A. Finger, c	4	0	0	4	1	0
A. Koch, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Carle, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Brown, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Zerr, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nester, p	2	0	0	1	3	0

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12-25	.09	.18	.27	.36	.45	.54	.63	.72	.81	.90
26-35	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90	1.00
36-45	.12 1/2	.25	.37 1/2	.50	.62 1/2	.75	.87 1/2	1.00	1.12 1/2	1.25
46-50	.15	.30	.45	.60	.75	.90	1.05	1.20	1.35	1.50
51-55	.20	.40	.60	.80	1.00	1.20	1.40	1.60	1.80	2.00
56-60	.30	.60	.90	1.20	1.50	1.80	2.10	2.40	2.70	3.00
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Owens 2, Carle-M. Koch; struck out, by Thornberry 10, by Nester 3; base on balls, off Thornberry 4, off Nester 1, off Finger 1; hits and runs, off Nester: 6 hits, 1 run in 10 innings; off Finger, 1 hit, 1 run in 1 inning; stolen bases, Zerr, Joe Finger; hit by pitched ball, by Thornberry 1 (Joe Finger); sacrifice hit, R. Butler. Umpires, Zerr and Butler.

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THE ROMANCE OF THE RABBIT.

By Gloria Brumby.

As the green gaping mouth of the mailbox clanked shut, Edith Preston's fair dreams of recapturing the carefree and spontaneous spirit of youth disappeared, and she was at least saved from any further planning of the few weeks' distant vacation. No longer would it be necessary to add to the young mountain of maps and route books that had grown upon the Winthrop desk at her home, and in the top right hand drawer of her desk in the office. No longer need she be conscious of the signs of the season which thru the ages had made men and women forget their troubles and believe that life is good. No longer need she gaze with possessive eye upon the nifty little gray and maroon roadster—the car sensation of the year—that she had dreamed would wait for her for four joyous weeks from the city's uncleanliness and ill to where gay brooks meander and quiet lakes entice, because the seven hundred dollars that would have transported her thru alluring paradises had just been swallowed up by the square green stomach of Uncle Sam's mailbox, and there was nothing left in her purse or her bank wherewith to satisfy her urge for the open road this year, at any rate. All during the years of the depression she had said hopefully "Next year I will do it", but something had always happened to swallow up her dreams.

As she slowly turned her steps of office-wards she remembered that what had happened had been worse, much worse, than her investments going blooey, or her unknown great aunt showing up for the World's Fair and staying the whole of her vacation, and her mouth twisted in an expression that made her heart beat furiously and unevenly.

"Maybe I am a fool," she said half aloud. "Everyone has an inalienable right to happiness so why should I give up my fondest desires again, even for Jolen. I don't believe that she ever took her employer's money anyway. I believe that he just cleverly manufactured the charge so that she would be forced to marry him. I don't think he'd have the nerve to carry out his threat of prosecution." Then a softening gleam came into her grim blue eyes. Of course, she just couldn't go to prison or marry the man she hated—and oh how Jolen did hate Morton Graham—as an alternative. No, of course, laughing golden-eyed, pleasure-loving little Jolen couldn't be allowed to face even the shadow of disgrace or unhappiness—little Jolen, the baby for which her lovely mother had given up her lovely life, a life so worthwhile and so interesting.

The outside air was fresh and warm and the birds were mad with summer joy—just as excited as she had been with life less than ten days ago. She found it very difficult to concentrate on her work and the figures of her accounts seemed to be vagabonding about on wheels. To work on such a day and at such a time needed a lot of courage.

Then her assistant, Gladys Holstead, pranced into the office on holiday toes. "Something for you, Miss Preston," she said gaily. "Lovely weather to do what one likes to do most, and for me that's just to be a lily of the field for a blessed few weeks." The girl waltzed away leaving Edith Preston to open the firm's envelope. A check for one hundred dollars fluttered to the floor. "With the firm's compliments and best wishes for a pleasant vacation and an invigorated return."

Edith Preston for all her thirty-five years felt like a five-year-old on a picnic. It was years since the firm had given vacation bonuses and the thrill of the unexpected charmed her. True, business had been improving for the last year—anyway she didn't quiet know whether to laugh or weep so she just set to work furiously at the long columns of figures that were as jumpy as herself. On a little used car lot near the office reposed old warriors of the lane and road in various stages of decline, but all guaranteed to have three months' life in their rheumatic old frames.

One Saturday afternoon in exchange for fifty of her dollars, Edith Preston became owner of the Rabbit—a jerky old taupe roadster with a chipped white trim. At other times Edith Preston, Certified Public Accountant, would have been ashamed to drive anything just like the Rabbit home. Anyway he was guaranteed for three months and only four weeks of the white roads beneath and the blue skies above were allotted to her. After that he could curl up and die for all she cared. If he would do his thirty miles an hour for thirty days he could fall down any time he felt like it, after that.

It was on a real dirt country road that sometime afterwards the Rabbit refused to live up to his guarantee. He would neither jump nor glide, and all the coaxing and cajoling that Edith's feminine hands could administer were without avail, and she re-

alized that to struggle with him was useless. The stars came out and on that mountainside they looked friendly and near. Edith didn't feel at all frightened as she got back into the antiluvian Rabbit and prepared herself for several lazy hours both on his part and hers.

She must have fallen asleep, because her eyes opened on a glittering blue sedan parked on the other side of the road just a little in front of her.

The Rabbit honked feebly and a man leaped out of the parked car. Edith also removed herself from the inside of the Rabbit.

"Pardon me," she said lightly. "this old animal refuses to budge and it's getting late. I wonder if you can help me make him change his mind."

"That's just what I've been waiting the last hour for. You looked so sweet sleeping in the old carcass that I just hated to disturb you. I was sort of watching over you, you know."

Edith blushed slightly. "That's very gallant of you in an age when knighthood is not in flower."

"But you're quite wrong there young lady. Knighthood forever flowers in the presence of loveliness."

"Don't you think we had better examine the Rabbit's anatomy right away?" and as they stooped over and looked under the old thing together Edith Preston felt happier than she had ever done in her busy life. A quiver of emotion overwhelmed her for a moment as the tall man wriggled from under the Rabbit and stood close beside her wiping his hands on a huge linen handkerchief.

"Can't find the trouble at all. Has he shown any symptoms of anything recently?"

"Only old age," laughed Edith. "But that is not surprising. He was only given three months to live when I got hold of him and we've already been on the road ten days—I may say ten happy days."

Richard Allen's brown eyes gleamed into his companion's.

"Why not leave him here to die peacefully and finish your excursion in my joy-wagon?" he said.

"Oh, never. I simply couldn't leave the poor old Rabbit to die on the cow-path, and besides I may be a lady bandit on the prowl."

"You haven't any choice on the one, and I'll take a chance on the other," drawled Richard smiling. "but let's tow him into the village boneyard and R. I. P."

"Okay, Mr.—"

"Dick Allen, Miss Preston. You see I know who you are. I am the scapegrace nephew of old Harvey Green, of Green & Haskell, C. P. A., and I recollect seeing you in their office, but it seems that the fate had allotted the introduction to our Rabbit friend here for which I for one am truly grateful."

"And I for another, and always will be."

"I hope so," said Richard as he helped Edith into the gray sedan. She tucked an offending wisp of honey-colored hair under her natty blue cap and settled herself while Richard fixed the tow rope.

Romance never takes a vacation in the summertime and although Edith Preston returned home without the Rabbit she had attached herself to something more reliable.

UP AGAIN AND ON AGAIN.

Although I walked a rough dark road
Alone with my own heavy load;
And though I stumbled through the dark.

I now can har the morning lark:
"Up again and on again."

Distinct before me like a prayer
My mother's face gleams everywhere
And angel-like the vision seems—
She spoke to me in all my dreams:
"Up again and on again."

I know the world is up side down
And I am just a poet-clown;
But still a voice comes to my ear
Commanding ever strong and clear:
"Up again and on again."

Although poor and weak and small,
Dear Lord, I hear your Spirit-call.
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I reads about their chivalry, iron pants an' shirts an' heraldry, An' all their brag an' devilry—it sure goes over big.

I tries it out on Jean-Marie: This eye is what she gives tuh me; Yeah! Love ain't what it usta be,— I hopes tuh kiss a pig!

Now Jean was amblin' down tuh street, a-steppin' high an' lookin' neat.

An' pausin' now an' then tuh greet some polecats of our place; When out steps "Pizen Likker" Jim a-wearin' guns an' scowlin' grim, Like thunder clouds along tuh rim a-squinchin' of his face!

Says Jim, "Now what's yore hurry, Miss? I'm yearnin' fer uh lovin' kiss

Tuh fill muh dang heart full uh bliss —them lips is plenty sweet!" He edges nearer all tuh time a-handin' out his mushy line, An' was she smacked? Well I opine! Right there upon tuh street.

I steps up feelin' doggone brave "Unhand tuh wench, base ornery knave, Elst wilt thou feel muh trusty glaive; now lope, yuh skunk?" I warns.

"She ain't no slinkin' scullery maid tuh kiss uh loosed ramblin' blade Ayaunt! Or else, by Godfrey's shade, I'll bust thee 'tween tuh horns!"

He pulls his gun an', sneerin' mean he lines tuh sights upon muh bean,

I stampedes wild right over Jean a-tearin' from that spot.

There ain't no knightly rule fer this no joustin' fer uh female's kiss, I hopes tuh proddy cuss will miss—and then I hears tuh shot!

Much later on I lopes tuh town a-feelin' sad an' plumb bogged down;

I meets Jean an' she wears uh frown —I fetches a uh sigh.

I raise polite muh punctured hat an pauses fer uh little chat

She reaches low an' then—kerspat! She hands me this black eye.

I dreams no more of belted Earls er gents that's noble, knaves er churls,

I jousts no more fer any girls; tuh thought fills me with gloom.

Yuh're welcome to tuh cast-iron pants, tuh glory too I gladly grants.

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SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK. Monday, August 5.

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There were 80 per cent more supplies in the cattle division than the preceding Monday, and this increase had its effect on the lower grades where stock dragged considerably. Some calves were good enough to bring \$7, however, representing a 50-cent increase over last week's top for choice animals. The general spread of calves was from \$5.50 to \$5. Butcher calves brought from \$2.50 to \$4 and bulls were priced from \$3 to \$4.

The sheep and goat markets were inactive.

Receipts and quotations Monday were: Cattle, 293 head; calves, 563 head; (last Monday, 276 and 314); calves, common and wannies, \$2.50 @ \$3.50; general spread of calves, \$3.50 @ \$5; better kinds to choice, \$6 @ \$7; common to medium grass steers, \$3 @ \$4; better kinds to choice, \$4.25 @ \$5; canner and cutter cows, \$1.50 @ \$2.50; plain butcher cows, \$2.50 @ \$3; plain butcher cows, \$3 @ \$3.50; good and fat, \$3.50 @ \$4; bulls, \$3 @ \$3.50; beef bulls, \$3.50 @ \$4.

Hogs, 94 head; choice 175-250 pounds, \$10; mediums and heavyweights, \$7.50 @ \$9; lights and feeder pigs, \$6.50 @ \$7.50.

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OFF-HAND OBSERVATIONS

By R. R. Claridge.
Staff Contributor.

To a man up a tree or on the fence, it begins to look as if Senator Huey Long is trying, for one thing, to save to his state what little of state rights, big business, bureaucratic bolshevism, has left to it.

Why did too many farmers vote for the Wallace-Bunk-head bill? Because the junior partner of the Federal-State agricultural conglomeration sent county agents out to tell the farmers that the bunkhead bill had something to do with the jump of cotton price from six to 18 cents.

Cotton and wheat value doubled because the President stabilized the price at the double, a thing the Old Guard had been trying to get the farmers to do for themselves from way back. Why had they not done just that? They had made two or three honest stalls at it, in the Farmers Union and the Farm Labor Union, notably.

Why didn't the honest efforts of the farmers, under the leadership of such men as Barrett and Fitzwater succeed? Because old Sapiro's Farm Bureau Federation, in which Wallace was a high muck-a-muck, broke them up. This organization, headed by the infernal Jew, Sapiro, had backing it, the Federal-State partnership, the daily newspapers, the city smart set, a big majority in the state legislatures; in fact, the nation over, the Sapiro fake had about all the money and all the noise to back it.

Except in rare instances, when came on the scene, a Governor like Jim Hogg, and Jim Ferguson in Texas, or Bill Murray in Oklahoma, the honest to God farm organizations, had the Governors to contend with, as to which Dan Moody and Ross Sterling were opaque examples. And when Texas or other states accidentally got a good governor, the whole howling pack of timber wolves mentioned in the preceding paragraph, did their blank best to put them up a tree. They impeached Jim Ferguson for trying to clean up the mess left him by his predecessors.

Why did they throw Jim out? Because they could not use him. What he did do, or tried to do for the people of Texas, in the face of a daily press and legislative dust storm, backed by influences that did not like what he did or tried to do, affords ample elucidation as to why they had to get rid of Jim. And when the sleepy voters "come to" and began to rub the dust out of their eyes, which they do periodically, with too many commas between the periods, explains the reason he "come back".

As to Sapiro, the last I ever heard of the infernal old Jew, he was in jail the second time, for racketeering with Al Capone in Chicago. It's hard to keep a rich man in jail long, no matter how lengthy and still are the razorback bristles on his spinal column.

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HOW WE SHALL VOTE

By Fletcher Davis.
Editor.

The people of Texas will be called upon to vote on seven proposed changes in the Texas Constitution at a special election for that purpose on August 24th.

The proposals will be numbered and are discussed below in the order of their appearance on the ticket, and those voting for will scratch the paragraph beginning "Against" and those voting against will scratch the paragraph beginning "For".

1.
FOR the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide a System of Old Age Assistance not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month per person and to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old age assistance.

AGAINST, etc.
We shall vote against this amendment.

The state is delinquent now in its payments to Confederate veterans and for current expenses. We should assume no more financial burdens until we have discharged those already contracted. Furthermore, no more Federal-State partnerships should be encouraged.

2.
FOR the Amendment of Article 1, Section 15, of the State Constitution by adding to said Section a provision to the effect that the Legislature may provide for the temporary commitment of mentally ill persons not charged with a criminal offense by the County

Court without the necessity of a jury trial.

AGAINST, etc.
We are against this Amendment. Trial by jury, defective as it may be, is the best safeguard yet devised for the protection of a man's freedom. It cannot be denied to the humblest without endangering all.

3.
FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution repealing state wide prohibition, prohibiting the open saloon and providing for local option.

AGAINST, etc.
This one proposal we shall vote for, not for any merit it contains of its own but because most any change is to be preferred to the conditions that now exist.

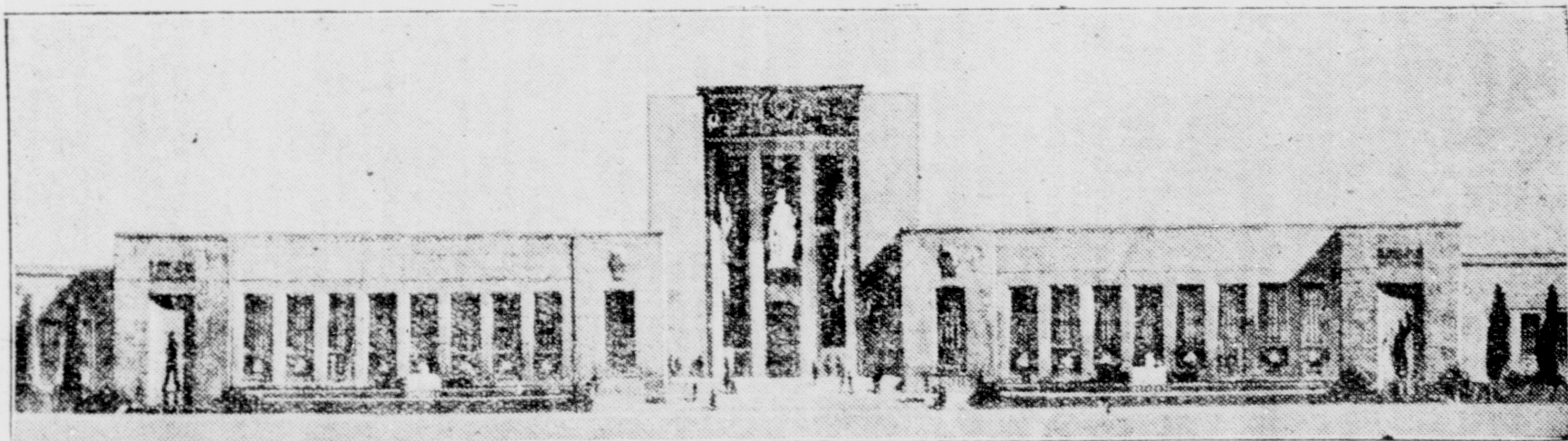
4.
FOR the Amendment to Section I, Article XVIII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed at Special Sessions of the Legislature under certain conditions.

AGAINST, etc.
It is too easy to amend our Constitution now. The adoption of this Amendment would afford an excuse for more frequent sessions of the Legislature, and lead to constant tinkering with our fundamental law. Texas should have none of it. We shall vote against its adoption.

5.
FOR the Amendment to the State

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Million Dollar Hall of State is Feature of Centennial Exposition



Central unit of the Texas Centennial Exposition, the Texas State Building, will cost \$1,200,000. Designed by a committee of Texas architects, the building will be a massive structure of Texas limestone with a frontal width of 488 feet, a depth of 258 feet and 80 feet high at its center, where the Niche of Heroes will be located. The two front wings

will be occupied by regional rooms, devoted to the four geographical divisions of the state—East, West, North, and South—while at the extreme ends will be the Halls of 1836 and 1936.

Forming a third wing, extending to the rear from the Niche of Heroes, will be the Great Hall of Texas. This hall will be a large room with six semi-circular bays in which will be

displayed flags of the six governments that have ruled Texas. At one end, silhouetted against stained-glass windows, will be a heroic statue symbolic of Texas. On the floor will be outlined a map of Texas with bronze markers showing historic places and old pioneer trails. Murals will decorate the bays and walls of the regional rooms. Below the great hall will be an auditorium.

The walls of the Niche of Heroes, behind its columns, will bear in relief heroic figures of the major heroes of Texas, while under the windows in the side colonnades will be placed smaller figures of other historic Texas characters.

The interior of the Hall of 1836 will be a replica of a Texas mission, while that of the Hall of 1936 will be modern.

HOW WE SHALL VOTE.

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Constitution authorizing the Courts to place defendants on probation. AGAINST, etc.

This is another companion piece of legislation along with the suspended sentence, the chief virtue of which is to serve as a loophole for shyster lawyers to cheat justice. We are against it.

6.

FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers, and all county officers in counties having a population of 20,000 or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether county officers and precinct officers in counties containing less than 20,000 population may be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis.

AGAINST, etc.

The man who pays a "fee" now pays for a service rendered or a privilege granted to him; the effect of this amendment will be to lift the burden from the beneficiary and place it on the taxpayers as a whole. We are against it.

7.

FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting the furnishing of free text books to every child of scholastic age attending any school within this state.

AGAINST, etc.

This Amendment not only takes another long step into state socialism, but invites a partnership of "church and state"; from the standpoint of Democratic government it is vicious in the extreme. If the people of Texas are wise, and especially those who cherish their denominational schools, they will have none of it. We shall vote against this Amendment.

Every good citizen owes a duty to understand the proposals and to vote intelligently thereon.

We challenge anyone to show that the above objections are not valid and that they justify the rejection of the six Amendments as named.

Study them for yourself; and do your duty.

OFF-HAND OBSERVATIONS.

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P. S. Farming readers may remember that, for several years, I have been predicting a cotton, meat and work-stock famine as result of the Bunkhead—Wallace crime of destroying what people eat and wear. And, to date, while too serious matter for a joke, the world is making fun of it.

* * *

As to cotton, I may have to take back the famine phase of my prediction, as foreign cotton producing countries are preparing to supply the shortage in this country and abroad. Brazil, for instance, is doubling its acreage, and has agents loose in our country soliciting labor and settlers to compete with our Southern states producers of the staple.

* * *

And, if there is any tariff protection against an avalanche of slave-made foreign cotton, in direct competition with our Southern farmers, it was done when I wasn't lookin'.

Salmon, Texas.

—oO—

Seedling peaches, plums and other fruits that have unusual quality but that have not been named yet are being budded to nursery stock for experimental purposes by the Texas Extension Service and the Agricultural Experiment Station in cooperation, according to J. F. Rosborough, Extension horticulturist. Anyone having unusual seedlings, or knowing of anyone who does, should get in touch with Rosborough giving the name and address of the owner. Ship-

ping tags and other necessary material will be sent the owner so that the Extension Service and the Experiment Station may get buds for the test plots. The budding work was started last year, when buds from almost 100 different seedlings were budded onto nursery stock. The trees were then transplanted to various experiment stations in the State for a five year test. The object of the experiment is to make available to the people of the State the best of the new seedlings which otherwise would not be perpetuated, Rosborough said.

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CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1935

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Sunday, Aug. 11.—Sunday school and Bible class at 9:00 A. M. Divine service at 10:00 A. M. A special offering will be taken to carry on the ministry of mercy. "Let us not be weary in well-doing." God will bless our efforts.

K. KONZACK, Pastor.

Culled From The Castroville Page.

The LaCoste Ledger, Aug. 2.

Mr. Joe Gross from below D'Hanis visited here and at LaCoste Sunday.

Miss Betty Burrell spent the weekend with Miss Gertrude Mehr.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tschirhart were visiting with relatives here Sunday.

Miss Florentine Zimmerman spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Hitzfelder and family at Devine.

Miss Theresa Louise Rihn spent several days of the past week in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart from San Antonio were visiting here Sunday.

Messrs. W. H. Bell and August Bilhartz of Pearsall were here on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart from D'Hanis passed through here to San Antonio Sunday. Mr. Schuchart in-

ANVIL SPARKS.

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provide maximum service at a minimum cost. The railroads did much to bring civilization to the wilderness in the beginning of this nation's expansion—they do much to keep civilized places from degenerating back to wilderness now.

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BE NOT DECEIVED.

Be not deceived for he who is deceived is simple.

And the simple are not wise! No one can be blamed for accepting a free gift; who doesn't accept deprives himself and leaves perhaps the less worthy to profit by his self-denial.

But we are warned to "beware of the Greeks when they come bearing gifts".

In other words, we should understand the source of the gift and analyze the motives behind the tender.

Unless we do that, we are liable, eventually if not soon, to wake up to a realization that we are being victimized rather than benefited.

For instance, no one would deny that the farmer who received more rental from the government for uncultivated acres than he earned from the cotton he cultivated but which for adverse weather conditions failed was "relieved".

But waiving aside the question of any government's moral right to tax one man to give to another, let us examine some of the economic angles of the government's plan to bring prosperity to all by taxing the consumers to pay the producers to reduce production.

Stripped of all excess verbiage and the circumlocutions of the economists whose purpose is to distort facts in order to fit economic laws to uneconomic means, that is the government's process for effectuating "farm relief".

So when a propagandist, either deceived himself or else seeking to deceive you, tells you, as so many have done in substance recently as to arouse the suspicion that it is only a parrot-like repetition from Washington, that "the processing tax is truly THE FARMER'S PROTECTIVE TARIFF", it is well to subject the statement to analysis.

The processing tax the farmer's protective tariff?

Let's see about that!

The protective tariff comes out of the pocket of the purchaser of foreign made goods.

The processing tax comes out of the pockets of American consumers of American made goods.

In other words, the protective tariff taxes the non-customer of American made goods; the processing tax penalizes the customer of American made products.

The tariff tax burden, then, is on the customer of the foreign producer; as an American producer the burden of the processing tax is on your own customer.

Some difference, don't you think?

The protective tariff is justified on the ground that it produces revenue for the needed support of a government economically administered; no such claim is advanced for the processing tax.

There is no other moral justification for any tax; hence the processing tax, as a tax, is without moral justification on that score.

The very motive of a tax on imports of foreign-made goods makes it a "protection" to the home producer against the competition of the foreign producer.

The special favor comes to the

formed us that they had an 8-inch rain last week.

Mrs. Louis Schott was visiting with relatives in LaCoste last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holzhaus were visiting in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bader and son, August, from Biry were visiting with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rihn are the proud parents of a son born Tuesday, July 30, 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Norma, from Cliff were Hondo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Grimsinger and Mary Christilles and sons from San Antonio were visiting with relatives here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Kempf and son, Lloyd Emery, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bush and son in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Biediger and Mrs. Mathilda Kempf visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hutzler at Dunlay Friday evening.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tschirhart was christened in the St. Louis Church. Sponsors were Mr. Albert Karm and Patricia Suchs.

Mrs. Anna Rimkus and son, Hugo, and Mr. and Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Theo. Prinz were visitors here Sunday.

home industry by enabling it to raise prices to the level of foreign goods prices plus the tariff levy.

The processing tax does the very opposite of this, throwing the burden on the consumers of American goods and making it correspondingly more difficult for the American producer to compete with the foreign producer, the fear of which competition has always been pleaded in justification of a protective tariff.

Naturally, the higher the import tax goes in penalizing the consumer of foreign made goods, the higher the price level can be raised on home products, all of which goes into the pockets of the producer as clear profit at no administrative cost to him; the beneficiaries of a processing tax must be content to accept a dole from an expensive government bureau after the administrative toll has been taken out.

The beneficiaries of a protective tariff enjoy a hands-off policy of a government that says here is an open field go to it; the beneficiaries of a processing tax are wards of a paternalistic government that in vouchsafing certain benefits demands the right to limit not only the benefits he shall receive but the quantity of products the producer may create.

Again some difference!

Under the beneficence—to the beneficiaries—of a protective tariff not only is the beneficiary secure from competition of foreign goods but he is at liberty to raise his prices to the limits of "diminishing returns" and expand volume production without other limitation than demand, thus garnering all the profits the industry will stand; the avowed purpose and the boasted achievement of protection to industry is and ever has been, to enlarge production and add to profits, thereby producing prosperity for its beneficiaries.

The working process of a processing tax is the reverse; it depends upon the government to peg the price of its products contrary to all economic law; it taxes the consumer of its own products, to reduce its own output, to make it more expensive for its customers to remain its customers; it would woo prosperity by producing less, at more expense, of those things that constitute the producer's wealth—the only thing that can make prosperity.

A vast difference in method, is it not?

How can two forces working in opposite directions arrive at the same goal—prosperity for all?

Presuming that by some miraculous reversal of economic law, agriculture could be made prosperous by a "protective tariff" that works in reverse order; and presuming that there is no moral obloquy in adding to the burdens of the unfavored masses to augment the profits of the favored class—as the protective tariff has done—are the farmers of America ready to buy prosperity at the price of surrendering the management of their own affairs in their own way?

Are they prepared to barter their right to protection from the exploitation of other "favored" classes and their guarantee of freedom and self-direction in the "pursuit of happiness" for the doubtful favoritism of a government which demands the right to direct their business from Washington as the price of its dole—a dole that it first wrings from Agriculture's own customers?

No such surrender is demanded of the beneficiaries of the protective tariff.

Why should it be demanded of the farmer?

If you do not believe you are being thus "regimented" and directed from Washington, refuse to plow up what your County Committee orders plowed up and here is how you will have to go for a "redress of grievances" as given in a letter of instruction to inquiring congressmen over the signature of no less a personage than C. A. Cobb himself, Director of the Division of Cotton, AAA, Washington:

"In view of the fact that the Division of Cotton has had inquiries from some members of Congress with reference to the procedure being followed where cotton producers desire to appeal from the recommendations of their County Committee, we are pleased to give you the following information.

"A cotton producer who has JUST GROUNDS for being dissatisfied with recommendations of his County Committee regarding the final figures as to acreage or production may appeal his case to the State Adjustment Board. It is necessary that he file his appeal with his County Committee. After his appeal has been considered by the County Committee, the entire record is then forwarded to the State Adjustment Board. Upon receipt of such record, the Board will set the case down for a hearing on some particular date, at which time the producer as well as the representatives of the County Committee is given an opportunity to appear in person, if they so desire, and present their respective claim.

After having heard the case, the Adjustment Board makes its recommendations in the case. In cases where his contract has been accepted by the Secretary, the decision of the State Board is not final, and the APPEAL THEN GOES TO THE DIVISION OF COTTON FOR FINAL DETERMINATION. The decision of the Adjustment Board is final only in cases where the matter at issue has been decided in accordance with authority given by regulations, administrative rulings, or instructions approved by the Secretary.

"You are further advised that the procedure for appeals covers cases arising under the Cotton Contract the Bankhead Act, and landlord and tenant questions.

"A representative of the Division of Cotton has been assigned to this particular phase of the Cotton Program and will keep in close touch with the State Adjustment Board in the respective cotton-producing States. You are assured that these appeal cases are being given our very careful attention."

Of course, before one of FARMING'S readers takes his lawyer and goes to Washington to learn whether or not he has "just grounds" for refusing to plow up a few rows of cotton planted in excess of his "quota", we are sure he will KNOW HE HAS "JUST GROUNDS".

Such is the process of regimentation of agriculture.

Such is the price the farmer must pay for the doubtful "relief" vouchsafed him from Washington.

The hungry asked for bread and were given a stone.

The farmer asked for "relief" from his distress and had a tax placed on his product to pay for his own regimentation!

Be not deceived!

SHALL WE DESTROY THE WEALTH?

The recent proposals to create new and more stringent federal taxes, based on the demagogic demand of "share-the-wealth", have met with virtually unanimous denunciation from newspapers, from industrial leaders, and from the best economic commentators.

As many unbiased experts have pointed out, "share-the-wealth" would really "destroy-the-wealth". It is all very well to talk about soaking the rich, and about breaking up accumulated capital, but when you do that you break up industry, you destroy jobs, you artificially dry up the springs of productive enterprise, you stop progress—and in the long run, the person who gets soaked hardest is the man looking for a job.

These new proposals are not primarily destined to raise revenue—drastic and confiscatory as they are, they would produce but a minute fraction of the money that is being spent for federal activities. The rich are too few and far between, and the great estates that would be taxed almost into non-existence are rarer yet. The proposals come under the head of "reform"—and they are put forward at a time when other unprecedented "reforms" are the greatest obstacles in the way of recovery. We need to stimulate capital, not to frighten it; we need to give the investor the confidence that will make him put his money to work, not make him give up in despair because of policies that would destroy the accumulations and labors of generations.

Fair, equitable and reasonable taxation is essential to economic and social stability; inequitable, unfair and confiscatory taxation can create only havoc—at the expense of every worker, every home-owner, every citizen.—Industrial News Review.

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And beat against the pane with troubled cry.

With phantom tread it bent the trembling grass;

Its cool kiss made the early tulip die.

As day dawned chill, with sharpened breath and cold,

And frost-touched grass lay brown and worn and dead

I bent to pick the broken flow'r that lay

In shamed submission there, with lowered head.

As tenderly, I pressed it to my lips;

Its loose-curl'd petals joined the wind's gay flight;

And left me lonely with the broken stem,

Just as you left me, on that windy night.

Oh, Lord, must I in silence, suffer still;

And through the empty years play silent host,

To shattered dreams, illusions that have passed,

And as my tenant entertain—a ghost?

—AUDREY ETHEL CHENEY.

THIS SPRING.

This Spring, O weary soul,

Rise up and look!

In the fields and in the meadows,

There are wonders strewn around;

Hollyhocks and daisies,

Lupines and phlox

Make a splash of color

Like a needlepoint design.

This Spring, When it showers

And lilies star the grass,

Your heart will quicken

If you will bend to see

In the rain lily's cup

The miracle

Of a single raindrop

Mirroring the sky!

—MARY OCTAVIA DAVIS.

"WHARF ANGEL" CURRENT FILM.

A film of the waterfront is the Paramount film, "Wharf Angel", the current film at the Colonial Theatre.

The cast includes Dorothy Dell, Victor McLaglen, Preston Foster and Alison Skipworth. Foster, suspected of murder resulting from a riot when he is making a soap-box speech, finds refuge in Skipworth's joint. To hide Foster from the police, McLaglen takes him as a stoke hand on a steamer to China. Not knowing they love the same girl, they become pals. But eventually everything is straightened out.

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D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1935

HOME COMING DAY.

D'Hanis Home-coming Day, Aug. 4, and annual bazaar were a decided success. Many old friends and former citizens, as well as people from surrounding towns, were here for the celebration. It would be impossible to give the names of all who visited here on that occasion.

Mrs. John Rieber was the winner of a set of attractively embroidered sheet and pillow cases, and Mrs. Emma Rothe won a beautiful pieced quilt and pillow.

Next Tuesday, August 13th, will be the date for D'Hanis' Monthly Trades Day. The business men of D'Hanis offer these trade events to induce people to come to their town to trade. If you have never made D'Hanis your trading point come to the next Trades Day and get acquainted.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koch and Buddy Holiday of Olden are guests in the home of Mrs. Pete Koch.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Currin and ward, Edward Cline, left last Friday for a motor trip of several weeks. They will visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Vinson, of Port Arthur, as well as Mr. Currin's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Currin of Poplar Bluff, Mo., and F. M. Currin of Durant, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Fred Stolte and children of San Antonio are the guests of her mother, Mrs. August Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown and daughters left last week for San Antonio, where they will make their

home. Their sons, William and Alvin, are remaining here at present.

Mrs. Fred Steinman and children of Pampa, is here on an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Christina Rudinger.

Mrs. Lizzie Ney is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Stacy of Houston.

Mr. Louis Carle, local merchant, left Tuesday on a business trip to St. Louis, Mo., and other points. He was accompanied to San Antonio by F. J. Carle and Amos Finger.

Mrs. J. W. L. Hanley has returned from a visit with her daughter, Sister M. Anabilis, of San Antonio.

Monsignor F. Maas and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maas left last week with Martin Maas for a visit at Rowena.

Friends of Mrs. Regina Deckert will regret to hear of her illness, which has kept her in bed for many weeks. Several of her children from out of town were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Britz and daughter, Marie, have left to make their home in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Britz are occupying the home vacated by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle and Mrs. A. J. Finger spent Monday in San Antonio.

D'HANIS GETS BALE.

The first bale of cotton of the 1935 season was ginned here Wednesday. The cotton was grown on the Paul Reinhart farm and was ginned by the Louis Carle Gin and Milling Company. The bale weighed 520 pounds.

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